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1936 SPRING PRICE LIST ON GLADIOLUS

WARREN H. DOWLING

ROUTE # 3

EVERETT, WASH.

All bulbs are guaranteed to be true to name and free from any harmful disease. Bulbs proving otherwise we will cheerfully replace or return your money. In other words, you must be satisfied. The repeat orders we receive each year from our old customers prove to us that satisfaction is our best advertiser.

MAIL ORDERS

Orders from this list will be mailed anywhere in the United States postage paid. However we do not solicit orders for less than \$1.00 to be delivered postage paid.

SUBSTITUTIONS

We make no substitutions of one variety for another unless we are asked to do so by the buyer. However, we will use the next size smaller of the same variety if out of sizes ordered unless advised not to. It is advisable to make a second choice on late orders.

* Those marked with an asterisk may be secured in 100 lots 8 times the 10 cost. 25 at the 100 rate. 5 bulbs of a variety and size may be had at the 10 rate.

We are offering this season two new gladiolus of our own origination. Both varieties having been registered with the American Gladiolus Society.

CAMANO Registration # 2481

Predominating color a Geranium Pink, deeper at outer edges of petals. Reverse of petals Peach Red. Large Baryta Yellow throat on all lower petals. Speckled Rhodimine Purple on each side of Yellow Midrib. Cream midrib on upper petals. The petals are a very heavy texture, ruffled and with a very decided twill to the points thereof. Four to six wide open florets at once on an 18 to 22 bud spike. Blooms in early season.

Price for 1936 - Size 1-2-3 at \$3.00 per bulb.

COHOE Registration # 2480

Predominating color Geranium Pink with white midrib on lower central petal, penciled purple on each side of midrib in throat. Extremely willowy stem with four to six wide open, plain petal triangular formed florets on a spike carrying 18 or more buds. A very early bloomer. With its heavy texture and flexible stem it is an ideal commercial decorative variety for cut flowers.

Price for 1936 - Size 1-2-3 at \$1.00 per bulb.

- * AFLAME (Hornberger) Very tall, large flaming rose. Six or more 6 inch florets open at one time. Large 10 for 50¢. Med. 10 for 25¢. Sm. 10 for 15¢.
- APRICOT (Mair's) Large flowered pink with many open. Very good placement, but does not grow as tall as lots of others. Large 10¢ each. Med. 2 for 15¢.
- * BAGDAD (Pal.) Dark smoky rose, opening 5 to 6 large flowers. Tall, graceful spike with good placement. Blooms frequently from bulblets. Very popular. Large 10 for 50¢. Med. 10 for 25¢. Sm. 10 for 15¢. Bulblets 100 for 15¢.
- * BERTY SNOW (Mair) Very good lavender. Blooms early with about 8 open. Not clubby, stem willowy. Very good for cutting. Large 10 for 50¢. Med. 10 for 25¢. Sm. 10 for 15¢. Bulblets 100 for 15¢.
- * BETTY NUTHALL (Salbach) Glowing orange pink with light yellow throat. Immense florets, 6 to 8 blooms, perfectly placed. Very vigorous grower. Blooms in medium late season. Large 10 for 40¢. Med. 10 for 20¢. Sm 10 for 10¢.
- BILL SOWDEN (Fallu.) Deep red, flecked darker. Five to six 5 1/2 inch flowers open on a spike. Does not grow as tall as Commander Koehl but is preferred by many. Large 2 for 15¢. Med. 10 for 40¢. Sm. 10 for 25¢. Bulblets 10 for 10¢
- * BRIGHT WINGS (Neeley) Large light rose with wing type flowers. Has the appearance of a silvery dust on petals. Med. 10 for 50¢. Sm. 10 for 25¢.
- CANBERRA (Errey) A vigorous medium yellow with up to ten 4 inch florets open. Has won many times in exhibition. Large 10 for 50¢. Med. 10 for 30¢. Bulblets 100 for 20¢.
- * CAROLUS CLUSIUS (Velthuys) An early deep rich shrimp pink. Large florets with many open. Excellent cut flower. Large 10 for 50¢. Med. 10 for 25¢.
- CAMANO Size 1-2-3 \$3.00 per bulb. No bulblets for sale this year. For description see page 1.
- COHOE Size 1-2-3 \$1.00 per bulb. No bulblets for sale this year. For description see page 1.
- COIMBA (Errey) Very pleasing salmon pink with carmine feather and yellow markings in throat. Opens 7 to 8 large flowers at once. Wide dark green foliage. Good exhibition variety. Sm. 20¢ each. Bulblets 4 for 15¢
- * COMMANDER KOEHL (Pfitzer) Most popular deep red variety today. Opens many florets and tall strong spike. Great prize winner. Large 10 for 50¢. Med. 10 for 30¢. Sm. 10 for 20¢. Bulblets 100 for 25¢.

CORAL STRAND (Ellis) White, flushed coral. About six $\frac{1}{2}$ inch florets open on a medium length spike. Similar to Lotus. Very pretty cut flower. Large 30¢ each. Med. 20¢ each. Sm 10¢ each.

*CORYPHEE (Pfitzer) A beautiful clear waxlike pink. Hard to beat in this shade as a cut flower. Florets large, round and well formed. Placement perfect - grows tall and is an early bloomer. Large 10 for 50¢. Med. 10 for 25¢ Sm. 10 for 15¢.

D. A. HAY (Whiteley, New Zealand) Pink with creamy white throat. Opens 10 on a tall, straight spike. Very popular and has won many championships in Australia. Sm. 40¢ each. Bulblets 10¢ each.

DAFFODIL (Mair) Buff yellow self. Blooms are large with many open, on a very tall spike. It is a good propagator and while the bulblets are always small they germinate easily. Sm. 25¢ each. Bulblets 3 for 20¢.

DEBONAIR (Pal.) Light salmon with yellow throat. Six or seven 5 inch florets open. A very beautiful and coming gladiolus. Large 20¢ each. Med. 10¢ each.

*DR. F. E. BENNETT (Diener) Most fiery red glad. Wonderful cut flower. Been on the market a long time but still going strong. Large 10 for 50¢. Med. 10 for 25¢. Sm. 10 for 15¢.

*EMIL AUBRUN (Lemoine) Smoky rose red. The throat is blotched deeper rose. The entire flower is overcast with bronze and gray. Large 10 for 50¢. Med. 10 for 25¢.

ESCORT (Tower) A very early white with cream throat. 8 perfectly placed $\frac{1}{2}$ inch florets. Have bloomed this flower with 12 open buds showing color and 7 more buds to go. A spike of this variety is very showy. Large 30¢ each. Med. 20¢ each. Bulblets 10 for 25¢.

*FATA MORGANA (Pfitzer) Light salmon pink with cream throat. Seven $\frac{1}{2}$ inch flowers open. Beautiful color with good spikes, bound to be a coming commercial. Large 10 for 60¢. Med. 10 for 40¢. Sm. 10 for 25¢. Bulblets 100 for 30¢.

GLEN (Mair) Deep pure pink overlaid with smoke. Large white throat marking and white rib lines. Opens 6 to 8 on a 16 bud spike. Good propagator. Sm. 30¢ each. Bulblets 4 for 25¢.

GOLDEN CHIMES (Ellis) Lovely soft yellow with deeper throat. Six or seven $\frac{1}{2}$ inch florets on a tall spike. Large 35¢ each. Med. 20¢ each. Sm. 15¢ each. Bulblets 10 for 40¢.

*GOLDFINCH (Crow) Very tall golden self. Opens 6 to 8 perfectly placed $\frac{1}{2}$ inch florets. Very good propagator. Does well from small bulbs. Large 10 for 50¢. Med. 10 for 25¢. Sm. 10 for 15¢. Bulblets 100 for 15¢.

HILL BILLY (Tower) Very tall grower. Rose doree, overlaid with purple, yellow and red. Opens five to seven $\frac{1}{2}$ florets. Large 35¢ each. Med 25¢ each.

- *INSPIRATION (Pal.) Deep shrimp pink with lighter throat. Six 5 inch flowers open. Ruffled and lacinated. Only fault I find some spikes are bare in sections where there should be buds. Large 15¢ each, 10 for \$1.00. Med. 10 for 60¢. Sm. 10 for 30¢. Bulblets 100 for 40¢.
- *JANET (Crow) Smoky old rose, shaded peach rose. Does not grow very tall for me, but is well liked by many who go in for the smoky shades. Large 10 for 50¢. Med. 10 for 30¢.
- *JOERG'S WHITE (Joerg) A very large white with crimson penciling on a creamy throat. Have grown this glad with florets measuring 8 inches across. One of the very best whites for commercial purposes when well grown. Will say, however, this glad needs plenty of good cultivation and moisture. Large 10 for 50¢. Med. 10 for 25¢. Sm. 10 for 15¢.
- JOHAN S. BACH (Pfitzer) Salmon with white midrib. Eight 5 1/2 inch. florets open on tall spike. Wonderful exhibition glad. Early bloomer and good propagator. Large 80¢ each (No other size for sale this year as we wish to hold stock for increase.)
- LADY LORENE (Ellis) Exquisite pink with yellow throat. Blooms well from small bulbs. Large 10 for 50¢. Med. 10 for 25¢. Sm. 10 for 15¢.
- LA PALOMA (Businberre) Fine, tall, orange prim grandiflora. The color is most attractive and the spike is very good. Large 10 for 50¢. Med. 10 for 25¢. Sm. 10 for 15¢.
- LAUSANNE (van Deursen) One of the best yellows to date. Medium toned yellow that becomes deeper in throat. Tall spikes - large florets - opening 7 to 8 at a time. Propagates easily. Sm 25¢ each. Bulblets 2 for 15¢.
- *LORA MARSH (Tower) Rose Lavender. Excellent commercial variety for cutting. Opens five to six 4 1/2 inch florets on tall willowy stem. Large 10 for 50¢. Med. 10 for 30¢. Sm. 10 for 20¢.
- LOTUS (Prestgard) A daintily colored glad of soft, light pink with cream throat. Large florets - slow propagator. Large 10 for 80¢. Med. 10 for 60¢. Sm. 10 for 40¢.
- *MAID OF ORLEANS (Pfitzer) Large, lovely milky white with cream throat. Coming commercial. Large 10 for 80¢. Med. 10 for 60¢.
- *MAMMOTH WHITE (Pfitzer) Giant white. Six or seven 6 1/2 inch florets. Spikes tall and heavy. At its best hard to beat. Large 10 for 60¢. Med. 10 for 40¢. Sm. 10 for 20¢. Bulblets 100 for 25¢.
- MARGARET FULTON (Ogrednichek) Coral pink shaded to a slightly lighter throat. Large flower on a tall, fine spike. Large 10 for 60¢. Med. 10 for 40¢. Sm. 10 for 20¢.
- *MARMORA (Errey) Immense grayish lavender with a petunia purple throat blotch. Opens 8 to 10 flowers. Has won many prizes on exhibition in its class. Large 10 for 50¢. Med. 10 for 25¢. Sm. 10 for 15¢.

MINUET (Coleman) The most popular of all purpose lavenders. The spike is a model of excellence with placement good. Sorry to say through shortage of stock this variety withdrawn from sale.

MORONGO (Errey) Great exhibition variety - opens 12 or 14 blooms, perfectly placed and is a good propagator. Colored nice bright salmon on outer part of petals, while the center is yellow lined with scarlet. Sm. 20¢ each. Bulblets 4 for 25¢.

*MOTHER MACHREE (Stevens) A beautiful golden lavender smoky that is very difficult to describe. Makes enormous spikes and especially fine for exhibition. Large 10 for 60¢. Med. 10 for 40¢. Sm. 10 for 20¢. Bulblets 100 for 20¢.

*MRS. LEON DOUGLAS (Diener) Begonia rose, flecked scarlet. Many very large flowers open on an extra tall spike. Large 10 for 50¢. Med. 10 for 25¢. Sm. 10 for 15¢.

MRS. VAN KONYNENBERG (Pfitzer) A very popular blue. It produces a tall spike and large flowers. The placement is not always good. Good propagator. Large 10 for 50¢. Med. 10 for 25¢. Sm. 10 for 15¢. Bulblets 100 for 10¢.

PFITZER'S TRIUMPH (Pfitzer) Salmon orange, red blotch. Huge, wide open flowers, opening up flat. Med. 10 for 25¢. Sm. 10 for 15¢.

PICARDY (Pal.) America's most outstanding gladiolus. Light salmon apricot with deeper salmon feather. Seven 6 inch flowers open. Perhaps no other variety ever introduced became popular so quickly. A very rapid propagator. Large 10 for 60¢. Med. 10 for 30¢. Sm. 10 for 15¢. Bulblets 100 for 15¢.

QUEEN HELEN THE SECOND (Salbach) Light salmon pink with lighter throat. Six or seven 5 inch flowers open on tall spike. Excellent propagator. Large 25¢ each. Med. 15¢ each. Sm. 10¢ each. Bulblets 100 for 30¢

RADIANT ORANGE (Austin) Medium size spike of bright orange flowers. Vigorous growth. Large 10 for 50¢ Med. 10 for 25¢. Sm. 10 for 15¢.

RIDEAU Smoky salmon, several open. Very large flower. Blooms well from small bulbs. Large 10 for \$1.00. Med. 10 for 50¢. Sm. 10 for 30¢.

ROSABELLA (Pfitzer) Pure pink with white throat. Most beautiful color you can imagine. Large 50¢ each. Med. 35¢ each.

ST. ALBANS (Swenson) Ivory white, heavily overlaid with rose pink. Has a slight blotch of brilliant wine red, which extends up the center of the petals. Will open about 10 perfectly placed flowers at once. Sm. 75¢ each. Bulblets 25¢ each.

SUNSHINE GIRL (Stevens) Clear pink with lovely yellow throat. Beautiful. Early. This is one of the finest cut flowers I have ever had the pleasure of growing. Large 10 for 50¢. Med. 10 for 30¢ Sm. 10 for 15¢.

TOBERSUM (Austin) Large rich yellow with amber feather in throat. Opens 8 perfectly placed 4 inch florets. Petals recurved. Here is a yellow that blooms after all other yellows are gone. Good keeper and fine for cut flowers. Large 10 for 50¢. Med. 10 for 30¢. Sm. 10 for 15¢. Bulblets 100 for 15¢.

WEDGEWOOD (Austin) Dark, rich violet purple. Medium size. Buds nearly black of a satiny luster. Blooms early. Large 1 for 15¢ 10 for \$1.20. Med. 10 for 80¢.

WHITE BUTTERFLY. Clear white prim. Very dainty and nice for basket work with other flowers. Large 10 for 50¢. Med. 10 for 30¢. Sm. 10 for 15¢.

COLLECTIONS

We have only two varieties to offer in collections this year. Both are extremely good varieties that are outstanding in their color class.

Betty Nuthall

Very tall glowing Orange Pink, with light yellow throat and a light feathering of carmine. Eight or more open at a time. Won Sweepstakes at 1934 County Show. 3 #1; 5 #2; 10 #3; 15 #4; 20 #5; 25 #6; 78 bulbs for \$1.00.

Berty Snow

One of the best lavenders. Bound to be one of the leading Commercials when stock becomes more plentiful. Has good substance and opens eight on a very willowy spike. 5 #1; 5 #2; 15 #3; 25 #4; 50 bulbs and all will bloom, for \$1.00.

Not more than one collection to a customer.

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CAMIANO

A Distinctive and Different Gladiolus

Predominating color Geranium Pink. Deeper at outer edges of petals. Reverse of petals Peach Red. Large Baryta Yellow throat on all lower petals, speckled Rhodimine Purple on each side of yellow midrib. Cream midrib on upper petals. Texture like leather, Points of petals have decided twists with edges of petals heavy fluted and ruffled. Opens 4 to 6 inches wide open with as many buds showing color. 18 to 22 buds. Blooms in early season. *Ask Ralph Pommert, Geo. W. Smith or A. A. Tower—all these Washington growers have it.*

Priced for 1936 – Size 1-2-3 at \$3.00 per Bulb

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VARIETIES WE HAVE GROWN BUT WISH TO WITHHOLD FOR INCREASE

RED GIANT (Phillips; Australian) One of the three placed in the mammoth class at Ballaret. A bright Cerise, darker in throat. White lined petals.

MILFORD (Rides; New Zealand) A delicate shade of Blue Violet. Opens 8 or 9 florets and was champion seedling at Canterbury.

PITITI (Hill; New Zealand) A new champion from New Zealand. Color Salmon Apricot flecked darker and the throat powdered Henna. Opens twelve florets.

MAUNGA (Burns; New Zealand) Color is pure white and blooms are the massive type. Has won at all of the following New Zealand shows: Normanby, Miramar, Wanganui and Canterbury.

LA FIESTA (Salbach; Calif.) This was offered for the first time last year and what I saw of it I liked fine. It is an Orange shade with a darker Orange throat. Grew very tall and looked as though it would be a comer.

GERTRUDE SWENSON (Swenson; Australia) Is pretty well known but as our stock is limited we wish to grow it another year before listing it. A beautiful shade of Mauve. Opens 12 to 14 flowers at a time all perfectly placed.

BLUE ADMIRAL (Rev. Christ) Grows a very tall straight spike and opens 5 to 6 very large blooms. Color, deep violet blue. A very rapid propagator.

WARATAH (Errey; Australian) A bright Orange Scarlet, center is Crimson touched with Cream. It opens 10 on a fine straight spike. We liked this very much, but stock is scarce so will wait another year before offering it.

Varieties that we are growing this year for the first time and are not able to report on but hope to be able to list next year, are the following:

Lady Marie; May Flower; James Fitzjames; Takina; Okarina;

New Era; Southport; Ninth Symphony; Miss New Zealand; Soestern;

Schwaben Girl; Pinnacle; Allemania; Beacon; CanZonetta;

Sonatine.

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