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# Everglades Aquatic Nurseries

706 Plaza Place

Tampa, Florida

## BUSINESS TERMS

FISH ORDERS LESS THAN \$5.00 (excluding can and packing charges) NOT ACCEPTED!

PLANT, SNAIL AND FISH FOOD ORDERS LESS THAN \$2.50 NOT ACCEPTED!  
(Collections as listed excepted)

CASH WITH ALL ORDERS. NO C.O.D. SHIPMENTS!

ALL ORDERS GO FORWARD EXPRESS COLLECT. NO PARCEL POST SHIPMENTS!

## SPECIAL NOTICE !!

DUE TO THE PRESENT SITUATION WE CANNOT GUARANTEE  
TROPICAL FISH SHIPMENTS. IN CASE OF LOSSES CUSTOMER  
MUST FILE HIS OWN CLAIM WITH HIS LOCAL EXPRESS AGT.

## SHIPPING CANS!

DEPOSITS MUST BE MADE ON ALL CANS FOR FISH SHIPMENTS AS FOLLOWS:

1 Gallon American Can (Accommodating from 1 to 6 small fish)	.35¢ Each
5 Gallon American Can " " 10 to 35 Med. "	\$2.00 "
Medium Everglades Can " " 40 to 60 " "	3.50 "
Large Everglades Can " " 60 to 80 " "	5.00 "
Special Glass Jars for Male Siamese Fighting Fish	.10 "

ALLOW 50¢ to 75¢ FOR PROTECTIVE PACKING, DEPENDING ON THE WEATHER.

CANS & PACKING ARE LOANED AND MUST BE RETURNED  
(within carton) FOR CREDIT OR REFUND!

### IMPORTANT !

Return via prepaid express as "Empty Returned Cans"  
which will cost only 31¢ per carton.

## SUGGESTIONS FOR HANDLING FISH SHIPMENTS

1. Give us your ADDRESS AND TELEPHONE NUMBER and leave your TELEPHONE NUMBER with the Express Co., so they can call you immediately on arrival of shipment.
2. Have a clean aquarium prepared with seasoned water before arrival of shipment. Strain the water from our cans, adding it to your waiting aquarium. Remove fish from cans into jars (using water from can) and float these jars in your waiting aquarium until the temperature in the jars and that in the aquarium are the same. Then, release the fish into the aquarium. It is good to add a teaspoonful of salt to every 5 gallons of water in any newly set up aquarium. Dissolve salt in a separate container before adding to your aquarium. This amount will not hurt Plants or Snails and acts as a tonic on the new fish.
3. EXAMINE FISH SHIPMENT CAREFULLY ON ARRIVAL for signs of "ROUGH HANDLING"  
Such as -
 

<u>Wet or torn carton</u>	<u>Wet packing</u>
<u>Low water level</u>	<u>Can turned over</u>
<u>Bruised Fish</u>	<u>Etc.</u>

If such is the case, get a proper Bad Order Report from the expressman stating "rough handling". This will give you grounds for claim in case of loss.



PLANTS AND HOW TO HANDLE ON ARRIVAL

In planting an aquarium, tall plants are usually placed in the background with the shorter plants in front. Vallisnerias as well as some types of Sagittarias are usually used in the background. We offer many decorative plants to be used as center plants. The type used depends on the size of the aquarium.

Bunched plants consist of several sprigs tied together with a piece of lead. Remove the lead and push each sprig into the sand where it will root. Plants sold as cuttings also root when planted in the aquarium

FLOATING PLANTS such as Salvinia, Floating Valentines, Water Hyacinths, Water Lettuce, Floating Water Fern, etc., should be allowed to float even though they have roots. They should not be planted!

L I G H T

Lack of sunlight is one of the greatest causes of plant spoilage. With a few exceptions, Aquarium Plants require from 3 to 5 hours of sunlight per day, or the equivalent in strong electric light in which the light bulb is placed directly over the surface of the aquarium water. Plants kept without some direct sunlight or artificial light usually deteriorate.

Sunshine is also necessary for the good health of fish. Some varieties contract the disease known as "Rickets" because of the lack of sunlight. Fish with this disease look caved-in and seem to have hollow stomachs.

FOR FURTHER REFERENCE AND INSTRUCTIONS ON TROPICAL FISH, PLANTS AND SNAILS, REFER TO THE FOLLOWING TROPICAL FISH BOOKS WHICH WE OFFER:

"Exotic Aquarium Fishes"	By Wm. T. Innes	\$6.00
"The Modern Aquarium"	" " " " (For beginners)	1.00

A Q U A R I U M P L A N T S

<u>BUNCHED PLANTS</u> - Giant Anacharis	Ludwigia	Parrotsfeather
Myriophyllum	Bacopa	Cabomba

ALL OF THE ABOVE ARE 15¢ FOR EACH BUNCH OR 12 BUNCHES OF A KIND FOR \$1.50

ROOTED PLANTS

	<u>EACH</u>	<u>DOZ.</u>		<u>EACH</u>	<u>DOZ.</u>
Corkscrew Vallisneria Torta	.06	.60	Sagittaria Sublata 4" to 7"	.12	\$1.20
Vallisneria Spiralis			Sagittaria Natans 8" to 15"	.12	1.20
Long, Narrow, Tough Leaf	.06	.60	Sagittaria Pusilla, Pigmy 1 1/2" - 3"	.06	.60
Italian Vallisneria, Aqu. Grown.	.05	.50	Sag. Microfolia "Carpet Sag"	.07	.70
Leopard Vallisneria, Rare	.20	2.00	(about 2" high)		
Rubra Vallisneria, Wine Red	.25	2.50	Grass Leaf Sag. "Dwarf Sub."	.05	.50
Giant Tropical Vallisneria	.25	2.50	Sagittaria Lorata, Many Leaved	.50	-
Sagittaria Sinensis 4" to 7"	.15	1.50	Giant Sag. Grandi 12" to 20"	.75	-

DECORATIVE, RARE & NOVELTY PLANTS

Lucky Australian 4 Leaf Clover	.25	\$2.50	Aponogeton Crispus, from Ceylon		
Underwater Banana	.15	1.50	Belongs to Lace Plant Family		
Aquatic Pigmy Violets	.10	1.00	Young Plants	.60	
Green Water Rose - Pretty	.25	2.50	Mother "	\$4.00	
Water Lettuce - Aquarium Size	.15	1.50	Wide <u>OR</u> Narrow Leaf Amazon Sword Plants		
Water Hyacinths " "	.15	1.50	Young	.35	\$3.50
Floating Water Fern (Australia)	.20	2.00	Medium	1.00	
Southern "Cape Fear" Spatterdock	.25	2.50	Extra Large Mother Plts.	4.50	
Round Leaf Spatterdock	.35	3.50	Honduras Cellophane, Med.	.60	
Needle Grass	.08	.80	Show	1.25	
Water Toadstools "Pennywort"	.10	1.00	Water Sprito (Cera. Sil.)	.50	
Madagascar Blue Aquarium Lily	.50		Cryptocoryne Willisii	.30	3.00
Saururus lucidus	.25	2.50	" Cordata	.40	4.00
Brazilian Underwater Fern	.35	3.50	" Griffithii	1.00	
True Water Orchid	.35	3.50	" Bockotti	.30	3.00
Poor Man's Lace Plant	.20	2.00	Hot. Zosterofolia 15¢ Per Cutting		
Guayanensis (Beh. radicans)	1.00		Ambulia Hot. (India) 15¢ " "		
Extra Large	2.50		Didiplis "Water Hedge" 15¢ per cutting		
Water Poppy, Blooms in aqu.	.25	2.50			



TROPICAL SPAWNING AND HIDING PLANTS

	<u>PER POR.</u>		<u>PER POR.</u>
Real Hair Grass, Fine for spawning		Crystalwort (Riccia) Pretty	.50
Handful Portion	.40	Salvinia - Beautiful Floating Plants	.40
Fontinallis "Willow Moss"	.75	Lemna Triscula "Chain of Stars"	
Utricularia Vulgaris	.40	Rare & Beautiful - Small handful	.75
Duckweed	.40	Azola - Very Pretty - Rare	.40

S N A I L S C A V E N G E R S

	<u>EACH</u>	<u>PER DOZ.</u>		<u>EACH</u>	<u>PER DOZ.</u>
Red Ramshorn - Beautiful color	.15	\$1.50	*Giant Striped Columbia	.10	\$1.00
"Mystery" Best Scavenger	.15	1.50	*"Infusoria" (Nurse-Maid) Best Snail		
Black Ramshorn	.10	1.00	to keep with Egglayer babies and if		
Florida Marble	.10	1.00	fed well produces infusoria.		
*Trumpet Rare	.10	1.00	Also eats Hydra	.15	1.50
*Pearl Ampullaria	.35	3.50	Philippine Horn of Plenty	.06	.60
Rare and Pretty			Mussels "Fresh Water Clams"	.15	1.50

\*THESE SNAILS ARE RAVENOUS AND SHOULD BE FED LETTUCE OR CABBAGE LEAVES AND KEPT TO THEMSELVES. THEY WILL ATTACK PRACTICALLY ALL PLANTS EXCEPT GIANT ANACHARIS AND GIANT SAGITTARIAS.

S P E C I A L P L A N T C O L L E C T I O N STO BALANCE YOUR AQUARIUMS

- #1. Aqua-Scaping & Oxygenating Collection (For 10 to 15 Gal. Aquarium) \$1.75  
Contains Vallisneria, Sagittaria, Bacopa, Red Ludwigia, Anacharis, Etc.
- #2. Aqua-Scaping & Oxygenating Collection (For 15 to 20 Gal. Aquarium) 2.25  
Contains many of the above in larger quantities. Also Spatterdock, Green Water Rose, Brazillian Underwater Fern, Etc.
- #3. Aqua-Scaping & Oxygenating Collection (For 20 to 25 Gal. Aquarium) 2.75  
Contains True Australian 4 Leaf Clover, Spatterdock, Leopard Val., as well as the finer Sagittarias, Vallisnerias, etc.

(From time to time some Plants in these Collections are not available at which times we substitute other plants of equal value)

WILL QUOTE PRICES ON LARGER COLLECTIONS ON REQUEST.

ALL COLLECTIONS GO FORWARD VIA EXPRESS COLLECT.

TROPICAL & SEMI-TROPICAL FISH  
EGGLAYERS

	<u>PER PAIR</u>	<u>DOZ.</u>		<u>PER PAIR</u>	<u>DOZ.</u>
Ambassis Ranga - Largest and most beautiful Glass Fish	\$3.00	-	Yellow Tetra (Hyph. Spec)	.50	\$2.50
Ambassis Lala Real Glass Fish	1.50	\$7.50	Tetra Von Rio (Hyph. Flammeus)	1.00	5.00
"A-Ray" Glass Fish (Athrina Everm)	1.25	6.25	Head & Tail Lights (Ocelifer)	1.25	6.25
Australian Rainbow (Mel. Nigrans)	1.25	6.25	Platinum Head & Tail light Tet.	.75	3.75
Queensland Rainbow (Mel. McCull.)	1.25	6.25	"Flare Tail Tetra"	1.50	7.50
Rosy Barbus Conchonus	.85	4.25	(Gephyrocharax atracaudatus)		
Barbus Phutunio "Pigmy Barb"	.60	3.00	Corynopoma riisei "Egglaying		
Barbus Semifasciolatus	1.00	5.00	Swordtail (Stewardia) Breeders	2.50	-
Barbus Vittatus	1.00	5.00	White Blind Cave Tetra	1.25	6.25
Barbus Nigrofasciatus	1.50	7.50	(Anophichthys jordani)		
"Convict Barb"			"Cuban Neons" Cubanichthys Cub.	1.25	6.25
Barbus Oligolepis "Tiger Barb"	1.00	5.00	Spotted Danio	.75	3.75
Barbus Cumingi, Rare - Red Fin	1.50	7.50	Pearl Danio	.50	2.50
"T" Barb Lateristriga - Pretty	1.25	6.25	Zebra Danio	.50	2.50
Clown Barbus Everetti	1.25	6.25	Giant Danio Malabaricus	.75	3.75
Barbus Sumatranus	1.50	7.50	"Flying Fish" (Egomus Malayensis)	.75	3.75
Black "Butterfly" Tetra - Rare (Gymnocorymbus ternetzi)	1.50	7.50	White Cloud Mt. (Chinese Neon)	1.25	6.25
Black Line Tet. (Hyph. Scholzei)	.75	3.75	"Blue Dace" (Chriopeops goodei)	.50	2.50
"Feather Fin Tet" (Hem. Ulin.)	.75	3.75	Aplocheilus Latipes (Medaka)	.75	3.75
			Zebra Fundulus Notti - Pretty	1.25	6.25
			Fundulus Chrysotus	1.00	5.00



TROPICAL & SEMI-TROPICAL FISH

LABYRINTH NEST BUILDERS

	<u>PER PAIR</u>	<u>DOZ.</u>		<u>PER PAIR</u>	<u>DOZ.</u>
Pink Kissing Gourami, Yng. (Helostoma temmincki) Yng.Brdrs	\$1.50	\$7.50	Philippine Climbing Perch (Anabas testudineus)	\$3.00	-
Dwarf Gourami	1.50	7.50	Paradise Very Pretty	1.25	\$6.25
Blue Gourami	1.00	5.00	Macropodus "Cupanus" Dayi	1.50	7.50
Trichogaster leeri - Colorful Young .75¢ Each	3.00	7.50	Siamese Fighting Fish	2.75	

CICHLIDS

	<u>PER PAIR</u>	<u>DOZ.</u>		<u>PER PAIR</u>	<u>DOZ.</u>
Cichlasoma meeki "Fire Mouth" Young .60¢ EACH	\$3.50	-	Angel Fish (Scalare) Yng. Healthy Specimens	\$2.00	\$10.00
Lacefin Cichlid (Aequidens Port.)	3.50	-	Silver Dollar Size	5.00	-
Peaceful Young .60¢ EACH		6.00	Egyptain "Mouthbreeder"	2.50	
Konga "Christmas" Cichlid Young 50¢ EACH	\$2.00	-	(Halpochromis Multicolor)		
Elassoma Evergladei "Pigmy Sunfish" Pretty	1.00	5.00	Orange Chromides (Etroplus Maculatus) Young Breeders	5.00	
Am. Flag Fish (Jordanelia Fla.)	1.00	5.00	YOUNG \$1.00 EACH	-	10.00

SCAVENGERS

	<u>PER PAIR</u>	<u>DOZ.</u>		<u>PER PAIR</u>	<u>DOZ.</u>
"Amber Pink" Tropical Catfish	\$1.50	\$7.50	Aeroplane Fish	\$1.50	\$7.50
White Blind Cave Tetra Very best Scavenger	1.25	6.25	Rare, Fresh Water Flounder		
Florida Weather Fish "Darters"	1.00	5.00	Glass Ghost Shrimp	.15¢ EACH	1.50
			Frog Tadpoles	.15¢ EACH	1.50

LIVEBEARER

	<u>PER PAIR</u>	<u>DOZ.</u>		<u>PER PAIR</u>	<u>DOZ.</u>
Perma Black Mollies 1 1/2" Size	\$1.00	\$5.00	"Red Tuxedo Black Swordtails" Young \$1.25 EACH	\$3.50	\$17.50
2" "	2.00		Black "Tuxedo" Swordtail Brdr. Young .50¢ EACH	2.00	10.00
Larger Perma Black Sail. Mol.	4.00	20.00	Het. Formosa "Mosquito Fish"	.35	1.75
Mollienesia Latipinna, Green	1.00	5.00	Golden Mosquito Fish		
Giant Key West Moll Latipinna	2.00	10.00	"Heterandria Midas"	1.25	
Orange Tail Blue-Black Mollie Sphenops. Show Stock	1.25	6.25	Cherry Red Moons	1.25	6.25
Marble Sailfin Mollies, Lge. Young .40¢ EACH	1.50	4.00	Red Moons - Good Size	1.00	5.00
Limia Ornata Multicolor	.75	3.75	Rainbow Moons (Vari-Colored)	1.00	5.00
"7 Spots" Poccilistes Pleur.	.50	2.50	"Salt & Pepper" Moons "Rare"	1.00	5.00
"Merry Widow" Phallichthys Ama.	.50	2.50	Golden Helmet Moons	.65	3.25
Quintana atrizona, "Cuban Mosquito"	.50	2.50	Black Moons	.65	3.25
Guppyi (Standard)	.35	1.75	Blue Moons	.65	3.25
"Golden Blond" Guppyi, Attractive	.60	3.00	Gold Crescent "Mirror" Moons	.65	3.25
Mexicoan Green Swordtails	.75	3.75	Goldn Wagtail Platy	1.25	6.25
"Flame Red" Swordtails Fully developed specimens	3.50	17.50	Red Wagtail Platy	1.50	7.50
Beautifully Colored 1/2 Gr.	1.50	7.50	Red Tail Platy Variatus	1.50	7.50
Brick Red Swordtails, Full Gr.	1.25	6.25	Orange Tail Platy Variatus	1.00	5.00
Golden Swordtails - Rare	2.00	10.00	Mixed Yng. of Red & Orange Var.	.25¢ EACH	
			Black Hybrid Variatus	1.25	6.25



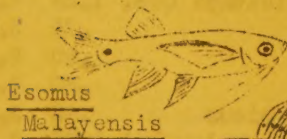
Blind Cave Tetra



Wagtail Platy



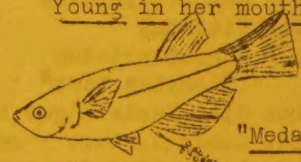
Female Mouthbreeder with Young in her mouth



Esomus Malayensis



Glass Ghost Shrimp



"Medaka"



Jordanella American Flag Fish



Corynopoma riisei

Aplocheilus lat.





Cryptocoryne willisi



Cryptocoryne cordata



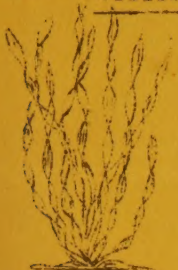
Southern Cape Fear Spatterdock



Cryptocoryne beckettii



Green Water Rose



Corkscrew Val. Torta



Sagittaria Sinensis



True Water Orchid



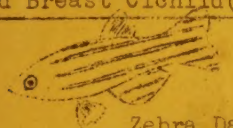
Australian 4 Leaf Clover



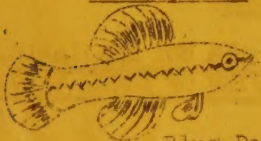
Sag. Sublata



Red Breast Cichlid (Meeki)



Zebra Danio



Blue Dace



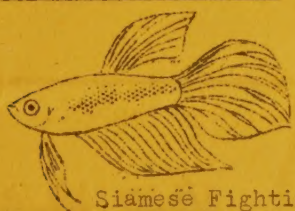
Barbus oligolepis



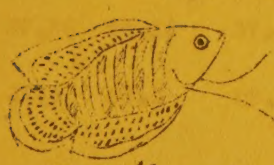
Black Butterfly Tetra



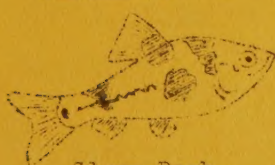
Limia Ornata Multicolor



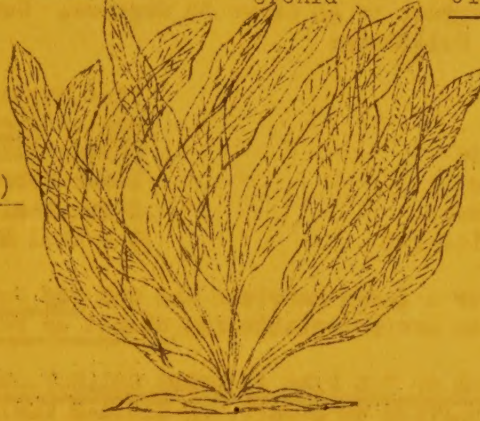
Siamese Fighting Fish



Dwarf Gourami



Clown Barb



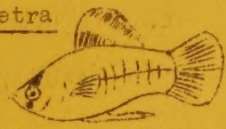
CELLOPHANE PLANT



Amber Pink Tropical Catfish



White Cloud Mountain Chinese Neons



"Merry Widow"



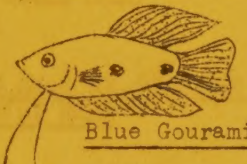
Tetra Von Rio



Feather Fin Tetra



Flare Tail Tetra



Blue Gourami



Fundulus Notti



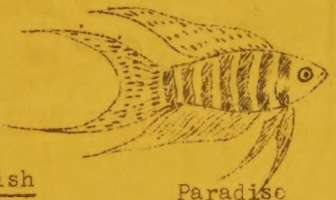
Barbus Cumingi



Barbus Sumatranus



Glass Fish Ambassis Lala



Paradise



"7 Spot"



Swordtail, Green, Red or Black



Cuban Neon



MYSTERY SNAIL



"Black Line Tetra" Hyph Scholzei



Marble Mollie



PEACEFUL, HARDY AND COLORFUL FISH COLLECTIONS

HARDY COLLECTION #1 \$6.00

These fish and Snails can stand temperatures from 45 to 80 degrees and can live in the average home temperature without heating the tank. This Collection consists of ONE PAIR EACH of the following:

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|------------------------------|--------------------------|
| American Flag Fish           | Mollie Latipinna Sailfin |
| Peaceful "Mosquito Fish"     | Young Black Mollienesias |
| 1 - Pink Tropical Catfish    | "Blue Dace"              |
| Aplocheilus Latipes (Medaka) | 6 Glass Ghost Shrimp     |
| Fundulus Chrysotus           | 6 Black Ramshorn Snails  |
| Zebra Fish                   | 3 Mystery Snails         |

(ADD \$1.50 for a large American Can and 75¢ for packing, both are returnable for credit or refund)

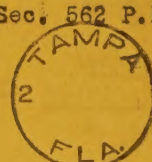


HARDY COLLECTION #2 \$8.00

This collection can stand a lot of neglect, but temperatures must not drop much below 60 degrees or go above 95 degrees. Contains ONE PAIR EACH of the following:

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|------------------------|-------------------------|
| Red Moons              | Blue Moons              |
| Rosy Barbs             | Red or Green Swordtails |
| Black Mollienesia      | Barbus Oligolepis       |
| Gold Crescent Moons    | Black Hybrid Moons      |
| Golden Helmet Moons    | Zebra Danio             |
| Barbus Semifasciolatus | Red Tail Mollie Sph.    |

(ADD \$1.50 for a large American Can and 75¢ for packing both are returnable for credit or refund)

FROM TIME TO TIME SOME OF THE FISH IN THESE COLLECTIONS ARE NOT AVAILABLE. WHEN THIS HAPPENS WE SUBSTITUTE SIMILAR VARIETIES OF EQUAL VALUE.

<p><u>RETURN POSTAGE GUARANTEED</u>                  Everglades Aquatic Nurseries, Inc.                  706 Plaza Place,                  Tampa 3, Florida</p>	<p>Sec. 562 P.L. &amp; R.</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div> <div style="text-align: right;">  </div>
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 <p>KISSING GOURAMI</p>	

BULK FISH FOODS

	<u>1/4 Lb.</u>	<u>1/2 Lb</u>	<u>1 Lb.</u>
<u>HATCHERY STYLE FISH FOOD.</u> Our special mixture used in raising our own high grade fish. Good for all types.	.75	\$1.25	\$2.25
<u>GROUND DEHYDRATED SALT WATER FISH.</u> A tonic as well as a food	.60	1.00	1.75
<u>BEST GULF SHRIMP (GROUND)</u> Grade 1-A	.75	1.25	2.25