
ANNUAL POCKET EDITION

ORCHID IMPORTATIONS



CATTLEYAS,
VANDAS,
ODONOTOGLOSSUMS,
ONCIDIUMS,
MILTONIAS,
PHALAENOPSIS, ETC.



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SHIPPING INFORMATION

All plants carefully packed (with no charge for same) and shipped by Express unless otherwise ordered. Plants ordered by freight shipped in good order at buyer's risk. All shipments to N. Y. New York. Express charges on plants have been reduced to a minimum by all the Express Companies so there is little or no more expense and no risk in shipments all over the country.

Customers not rated by any Commercial Agency, or unknown to us, please send references with orders, or half payment for same.

STOP

ARE YOU BUYING STOCK FOR YOUR SELF, or helping pay for a competitor's collection?

THINK what the great majority of the growers are doing.

START EVEN with them.

OUR POLICY

OUR BUSINESS is under one name only.

NO GREENHOUSE INTERESTS on the side, to sell flowers to your trade.

NO CUT FLOWER HOUSES of any kind.

WE ARE EXPERT COLLECTORS AND IMPORTERS not controlled by agreement or connections with growers' or florists' concerns of ANY KIND.

ENQUIRIES SOLICITED, every detail of natural growth furnished GRATIS.

NOW IS THE BEST TIME to estimate your wants for the coming year and to place orders that selected stock may be delivered TO YOU EARLY.

WE ARE NOW READY TO FIGURE ON ANY QUANTITY for 1912 Spring delivery, quality and delivery guaranteed.

NOW READY TO SHIP semi-established stock by the one hundred or dozen to those late in ordering all varieties.

ORCHIDS

ONCE UPON A TIME everybody had to pay a high price for any kind of an Orchid. This was before we came into the field. Not many of them were sold anyhow.

WITH THE ADVENT OF OUR DIRECT IMPORTATIONS, conditions changed. Perhaps you do not realize what this change has meant. Prices went down of course. Everybody knows that. Others had to come down to compete with new conditions. But why—did you ever stop to think?

THE FACT. Plants were within the reach of everybody's pocketbook. Orders poured in from all over the country. Down came the price again.

THE WAY IT WAS DONE. Long experience in importing each variety, collected in large quantities, by thoroughly experienced collectors.

NATURALLY ENOUGH the grower saw the disadvantage to himself of buying plants from his competitors, thereby furnishing them with stock for nothing, to compete with him in flowers shipped to his own market later. Now he gives his orders to the direct importer and non-competitor.

THE RESULTS. All growers pay the same price. A tremendous volume of business. More than doubled every year. Prices kept down to minimum. Stock quality kept up to the maximum with equal value to all. Early or all advance orders filled at the best time. More rare specimens among the trade than ever before.

MANY VARIETIES are collected before the grower decides. Our annual supply for this trade of semi-established plants we will close out now to make room for the flood of importations in the Spring. Nothing will be carried over except orders to be delivered at that time for the convenience of late customers.

Cattleyas.

The most beautiful American Orchid, ideal for cut flowers and exhibition purposes, taking more than one-half of the space of all large collections. Commercially it has no equal; the flowers will stand one month if desired before cutting.

Cattleya Bogotensis.

Flowering in February, strong plants, arriving early.

8 to 10 bulb plants, . . .	per case	\$40.00
15 to 25 bulb plants, . . .	per case,	50.00
400 bulbs to the case.		

Cattleya Bowringiana.

Desirable in every collection.

8 to 10 bulb plants, . . .	per case,	\$65.00
15 to 20 bulb plants, . . .	per case,	75.00
Price,	per doz.,	24.00
400 bulbs to the case.		

Cattleya Citrina

The most fragrant of its species, has a clear lemon color, flowers in April and May.

6 to 10 bulb plants, . . .	per case,	\$70.00
Price,	per doz.,	24.00
400 bulbs to the case.		

Cattleya Chrysotoxa.

A most beautiful yellow flower with a deep maroon, yellow veined lip, flowering in July and August.

6 to 8 bulb plants, 45 plants,	per case,	\$100.00
9 to 12 bulb plants, . . .	per case,	120.00
Price,	per doz.,	36.00
400 Bulbs to the case.		

Cattleya Aurea.

Flowering in August.

6 to 8 bulb plants, 45 plants,	per case,	\$100.00
8 to 12 bulb plants, . . .	per case,	120.00
Price,	per doz.,	36.00
400 bulbs to the case.		

Cattleya Dowiana.

Flowering in August. This grand, yellow flower with a purple lip, so much desired in all collections, is becoming very rare in its native mountains.

6 to 8 bulb plants, . . .	per case,	\$120.00
8 to 12 bulb plants, . . .	per case,	150.00
Price,	per doz.,	48.00
400 bulbs to the case.		

Cattleya Gaskilliana.

Flowering in June, just suiting the wedding and commencement demand. A free flowering Cattleya, free-growing plant doubling its leads almost yearly.

8 to 10 bulb plants, . . .	per case,	\$45.00
12 to 25 bulb plants, . . .	per case,	55.00
400 bulbs to the case.		

Cattleya Gigas.

This beautiful July flowering Cattleya—coming as it does when a grower is shy of all flowers, makes some of this variety essential for private or commercial growers.

8 to 10 bulbs, strong plants,	per case,	\$60.00
12 to 20 bulbs, strong plants,	per case,	75.00
400 bulbs to the case.		

Cattleya Gigas Sanderiana.

This is a great favorite with florists; is a large flower desired by all growers. The colors are very pronounced and blooms in April and May.

8 to 10 bulbs, strong plants,	per case,	\$60.00
12 to 25 bulbs, strong plants,	per case,	75.00
400 bulbs to the case.		

Cattleya Harrisoniae.

Flowering in August, very desirable for cut flowers.

8 to 12 bulb plants, . . .	per case,	\$50.00
15 to 25 bulb plants, . . .	per case,	60.00
Price,	per doz.,	18.00
400 bulbs to the case.		

Cattleya Labiata.

Flowering in October and November, of a fine dark color, large and very desirable. Has always been a money maker for commercial growers. This variety is becoming each year more difficult to collect. Should no new mountains of this variety be discovered it will, in two years, be the highest price commercial variety on the list.

7 to 10 bulb plants, . . .	per case,	\$65.00
12 to 20 bulb plants, . . .	per case,	\$85.00
400 bulbs to the case.		

Cattleya Mendelii.

Flowering in May, considered by many the most beautiful of Cattleyas.

8 to 10 strong bulb plants,		
40 plants,	per case,	\$60.00
15 to 20 bulb plants, strong bulbs,		
	per case,	70.00
400 bulbs to the case.		

Cattleya Mossiae.

Flowering in April and May. A most prolific and very desirable commercial variety, subject to more changes of type than any other Cattleya.

8 to 12 bulb plants, well leaved,		
	per case,	\$40.00
15 to 20 bulb plants, well leaved,		
	per case,	50.00
400 bulbs to the case.		

Cattleya Percivaliana.

Of beautiful colors, flowering at a time when

cattleyas are most desired, in November and December. Every grower should have some of them.

8 to 10 bulb plants, . . .	per case,	\$40.00
12 to 20 bulb plants, . . .	per case,	45.00
400 bulbs to the case.		

Cattleya Schroederae.

Flowering in March. A most desirable variety for cut flowers and at a season when most wanted.

8 to 10 bulb plants, . . .	per case,	\$60.00
12 to 20 bulb plants, . . .	per case,	75.00
400 bulbs to the case.		

Cattleya Speciosissima.

Flowering in February and March. A beautiful large blossom of special value to commercial growers, time of flowering and color considered.

8 to 12 bulbs, 40 to the case,	per case,	\$40.00
15 to 20 bulbs,	per case,	50.00
400 bulbs to the case.		

Cattleya Trianae.

Flowering in December and January. This is the favorite of all Cattleyas, both for cut flowers and private growth.

8 to 12 bulb plants, strong, well leaved,	per case,	\$40.00
15 to 20 bulb plants, strong, well leaved,	per case,	50.00
400 strong bulbs to the case.		

Cattleya Warneri.

Flowering in May. A splendid dark bloom, very desirable.

50 plants,	per case	\$90.00
Price,	per doz.,	32.00

Coelogyne Cristata.

Flowering in December and January. White, fragrant and of easy growth.

10 to 15 strong bulb plants, per doz., \$18.00
 Large specimens, 100 to 250 bulbs,
 each plant, \$5.00 to \$10.00
Dendrobiums. All strong selected plants.

Dendrobium Densiflorum.

Flowers in March and April. Rich, yellow flower with deep orange lip, free flowering.
 Good plants, per doz. \$30.00 and upward.

Dendrobium Nobile.

Flowers in February and March. White and purple coloring, fragrant, and a fine commercial variety.

Each plant \$1.50 to \$5.00
 Price per doz., \$15.00 to 50.00
 Per 100 plants, \$125.00 and upward

Dendrobium Formosum Gigantum.

Flowers in clusters, color white, lip yellow, very fragrant, blooming in November and December, fine for Holiday cuttings.

Each plant \$1.50 to \$3.00
 Per doz., 15.00 to 30.00

Dendrobium Thrysiflorum.

Flowering in February and March. It has a yellow lip, growing in grape like clusters, very striking for exhibition purposes.

Each plant, \$1.50 to \$4.00
 Per doz., 15.00 to 40.00

Dendrobium Wardianum.

Flowering in December and January. Flowers three to four inches across, white, tipped with purple, a beautiful Orchid in great demand for cut flowers, at the Holiday season.

Each plant, \$ 1.50 to \$3.00
 Per Doz., 15.00 to 30.00
 Per 100 plants, \$125.00 and upward

Laelias.

These plants flower on spikes and are much desired, and a great favorite as all plants of this description have become, flowering at the Holidays.

Laelia Anceps.

Rose pink, purple lip. Two to six flowers to each scape.

Each plant,	80 cents to \$3.00 each.
Per 100,	\$65.00 to \$250.00

Laelia Anceps Stelle.

Pure white, lips white, throat yellow with rose markings.

Each plant,	\$1.50 to 3.00 each
Per hundred,	\$125.00 to \$250.00

Laelia Anceps Sandriana.

Pure white, purple blotch on the lips.

Each plant,	\$2.00 to \$5.00
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Laelia Albida.

White flowers, pink veined with yellow blotch on lip.

Each plant	\$1.00 to \$2.00
Per hundred,	80.00 to 175.00

Miltonias Roezlii.

A beautiful flowering type with flowers three to four inches across, white, with purple blotch at the base of lip.

Per doz. plants, 3 to 4 bulbs,	\$24.00
Each plant,	\$2.00 to \$3.00
Per hundred plants,	175.00

Miltonia Vexillaria.

One of the most beautiful of Orchids, flowers lasting several weeks, three and one-half to four inches across.

Each plant, 3 to 4 bulbs,	\$1.50 to 2.00 each
Per hundred,	\$125.00

Odontoglossum Crispum.

Flowers in November and March. This well known favorite, which is proving quite a success in the far north states, with its long sprays of various colored flowers, no two plants flowering alike.

Plants, 3 to 4 strong bulbs,	. . .	\$1.00 each.
Per hundred,	. . . . .	\$75.00
Plants, 6 to 8 strong bulbs,	. . .	\$2.00 each plant
Per hundred,	. . . . .	\$175.00

Oncidium Varicosum Rogersii.

Flowers on spikes of golden yellow, often six feet high, flowering in October and November.

Each plant strong bulbs,	. . .	\$1.00 to 2.00
Per hundred,	. . . . .	\$125 to 275.00

Phalanopsis Amabilis.

These beautiful, warm climate Orchids so popular in every country.

Each plant,	. . . . .	\$2.50 to 5.00
Per hundred,	. . . . .	\$225 to 400.00

Phalaenopsis Schilleriana.

Each plant,	. . . . .	\$2.50 to \$5.00
Per hundred,	. . . . .	\$200.00 to 400.00

Vanda Caerulea.

Flowers four inches across, pale blue, marked with azure blue.

Each plant,	. . . . .	\$2.00 to \$3.00
Per hundred,	. . . . .	\$175.00 to \$250.00

Vanda Sanderiana.

This splendid Orchid will be here with the Phalanopsis in April.

Each plant	\$7.00 to \$60.00 each
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Semi Established Plants.

Cattleya Trianae, 5" to 18" pot.	\$1.50 to \$15.00 each
Cattleya Speciosissima, 5" to 7" pans.	\$1.50 to \$ 3.00
Cattleya Mossiae, 5" to 7" pans.	\$1.50 to \$ 3.00
Cattleya Percivaliana,	\$1.00 to \$ 2.00
Cattleya Lablata,	\$1.50 to \$10.00
Cattleya Mendelii,	\$2.00 to \$35.00
Cattleya Gaskilliana,	\$1.50 to \$ 5.00
Laelia Anceps,	\$1.50 to \$ 4.00
Laelia Albida	\$1.00 to \$ 2.50
Miltonia Clowesii	\$1.00 to \$ 1.50
Odont. Grande 4½" to 6" pots.	\$1.00 to \$ 2.50
Dend. Wadianum	\$1.00 to \$ 3.00
Dend. Thyrsiflorum,	\$1.00 to \$ 6.00
Oncidium Leuchachilum,	\$1.50 to \$ 2.00
Oncidium Wenthworthianum	\$1.50 to \$ 2.00
Oncidium Cavendishianum	\$1.50 to \$ 3.00
Lycaste Skinneri	\$1.00 to \$ 2.50

All plants guaranteed type and
in good order.

All collected by myself or under my personal supervision. Shipped direct in original cases. Guaranteed in good order, f. o. b. New York.

