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THIS YEAR—we have for you an even better selection of Dahlias than our 1927 list. It is true that many of last year's listings we have kept—for the simple reason that we have been unable to find superior varieties to displace them—but we have found it advisable to make a few changes, and we have also added several new and different sorts, which we are sure you will like—very, very much.

In our descriptions we are giving you briefly, the more important details concerning each of the different kinds. They are all good—extra good—and because we have not taken the space to say much about fine stems, excellent habits of growth, etc., you must not imagine for a moment that they are deficient in these respects. Any Dahlia must have the necessary qualifications before we shall recommend it to our customers. We have indicated ratings, type, color, size range, and certain awards of merit, all of which points should help you in making a choice. The real pictures of these flowers, however, must be left very largely to your own imagination, and because, as we have mentioned, they are all splendid varieties, we feel sure that you will be in no way disappointed with any selection you may make, which your particular fancy, in the matter of color and type shall dictate.

Our Price List is not an elaborate one. We realize the tendency on the part of purchasers to judge goods to a certain extent by the way in which they are presented, and there is no question but what an attractive and costly catalogue makes a better first impression than a less pretentious one. There is nevertheless the matter of expense to be considered. If we are to put a lot of money into our catalogue—and other advertising—we must, in turn, get more for our product; whereas, by keeping these expenditures at a minimum, we are able to give you better prices. We have decided, for the time being at least, to run the advertising department of our business at the lowest possible cost, and to set our prices accordingly. Now if these prices suit you, and our selection of varieties is sufficiently comprehensive to meet your demands, there remains but one important item for you to consider—namely, the quality of our stock. All we can say in this connection is that all stock which goes out from this place, is very carefully selected with a view to giving our customers the greatest possible satisfaction, for it is upon this satisfaction that the growth and success of our business depend.

If you have never had dealings with us we shall be pleased to have you give us a trial order—this Spring.

Our regular customers know the kind of goods we deliver, and in closing we want to express our appreciation of their business, and to assure them that we shall endeavor, as heretofore, to merit a continuance of this patronage.

Yours very truly,
## RED: all shades, including the orange-reds or flame colors:

- **Adam Felsinger**—D.—Rose-red, white edges and reverse—3'-4' Ht. 4'-5' C. of M. $3.50
- **Ann Ka**—D.—Orange-red, copper suffusion—6'-8'. Ht. 4'-5'. An "HR" variety, carrying also Gold Medal and other awards.
- **Ben Wilson**—D.—Rich red, gold shading and tips—6'-8'. (P) Ht. 3'-4'. One of 3rd Highest rated "Blacks". $1.50
- **Daddy Butler**—H. C.—Velvety rose-red, white reverse—6'-7'. Ht. 3'-4'. C. of M.—New Jersey. Many prizes 3rd Highest rated H. C. $1.00
- **Elton Butler**—D.—Radiant red—7'-11'. (Note size.) Ht. 3'-4'. "HR" variety, carrying 4 C. of M. and other awards. $4.50
- **Emperor of the Dark**—D.—Dark, tyrant-rose cast—3'-7'. Ht. 4'-5'. One of our best sellers, to garden visitors. $1.50
- **Flaming Meteor**—H. D.—Brilliant red shades—5'-7'. Ht. 3'-4'. 1st. 50 bloom class Los Angeles 1926 and 7. Good keeper. $4.50
- **Fort Washington**—D.—Deep red—7'-9'. Ht. 7'-9'. 1927 Honor Roll. Very tall growing variety. $5.00

## OUR 1928 LIST

We have used abbreviations as follows:

- **For Type or Formation:** H.—Hybrid; D.—Decorative; C.—Cactus; P.—Peony; A.—American; E.—English; S.—Show.

### Ratings (Approved):
- Indicated by figures, immediately preceding the name of the variety. A rating of 85 or over is considered very high.

### Length of time on market:
- n—new; r—recent; s—standard.

### Diameter of Blooms:
- In inches, shown by figures following color description.

### Height of Plant:
- In feet—Ht.

### Certificates of Merit:
- C. of M.—Highest award of the Official Trial Grounds, located in various sections of the country, for a score of 85 or better.

### Roll of Honor:
- H. R.—List of selections published annually by Derrill W. Hart, one of the best posted and best known Dahlia authorities in the world.

### Gold Medal and Sweepstakes:
- The highest Show Awards.

### Other Prizes and Awards:
- When mentioned include only the highest awards at Gold Medal and other awards. The prices shown are for single, field-grown root divisions of any of the varieties marked (P). Our charge for these is 10c each, to cover the cost of printing and mailing.

### New Jersey:
- **Jersey's Beacon**—D.—Scarlet, tan reverse—6'-7'. Ht. 3'-4'. C. of M. Many other awards. One of the very best reds. $3.00
- **Kohinoor**—H. C.—Very dark maroon—6'-7'. Ht. 4'-5'. Probably the best dark red Hybrid Cactus. $1.25
- **Macgregor**—H. C.—Spectrum red—3'-5'. Ht. 3'-5'. 2 C. of M. Highest rated Hybrid Cactus. Profuse bloomer. $1.00
- **Miss Burdell**—D.—Bright, rich red—5'-6'. Ht. 4'-6'. C. of M. Orig. 1915 and still going strong. $1.50
- **Mrs. Pride of Stratford**—D.—Orange-red, copper suffusion—6'-9'. Ht. 4'-5'. Similar color "Ann Ka," different form. Very dependable. $4.50
- **Sidney B. Mitchell**—D.—Deep, velvety red, rose tips—7'-9'. Ht. 4'-5'. 2 C. of M. One of the best of this type are scarce. $2.50

### YELLOW SHADES:
- **Alida Whittier**—H. C.—Primrose yellow—7'-8'. Ht. 3'-5'. 2 C. of M. Twice H. R. Best flower San Francisco 1926. $3.50
- **Al Koran**—H. D.—Goldenrod—6'-7'. Ht. 3'-4'. Numerous prizes. Petals marcelled—beautiful. $1.50
- **Ambassador**—H. C.—Apricot-yellow, pink suffusion—6'-8'. (P) H. C.—New Jersey. $1.50
- **Avalon**—D.—Bright lemon-yellow—5'-6'. Ht. 3'-4'. The best popular priced yellow Dec. we have grown. Very large and bright. $1.00
- **Bertha Harvey**—H. C.—Buff and orange shades—6'-7'. Ht. 3'-4'. C. of M. Very satisfactory. Better than many high priced ones. $1.00
- **Champagne**—D.—Golden chamois—6'-7'. Ht. 3'-4'. C. of M.—New Jersey. Many prizes, 6th highest rated Decorative. $2.50
- **Eastern Star**—D.—Saffron yellow—6'-9'. Ht. 4'-5'. C. of M.—New Jersey. 3 times HR. Many prizes. Excellent. $2.50
- **El Invicto**—D.—Gold—6'-7'. Ht. 3'-4'. C. of M.—New Jersey. 2 HR. 7th Highest rated D. Splendid cut flower. $1.50
- **Gladys Bates**—A. C.—Tan, rose reflex—6'-7'. (P) Ht. 5'-3'. 3rd Highest rated true Cactus. Good ones of this type are scarce. $1.50
- **Grandeau**—D.—Light lemon yellow—6'-7'. Ht. 3'-4'. Very unusual, broad petalled formation. No medals, but good. $1.50
ENGLISH CACTUS TYPE

n—Grundola—D.—Orange-bronze—5.5-7”. Ht. 4.5-5.5. 1926 and 7 Honor Roll. Wonderful cut flower. Here to stay...

s—87—Invisidene—D.—Iridescent, glistening gold sheen—3.5-4.5. Ht. 3-4’. (Foreign) C. of M. Many awards. Beautiful form. No better HR flowers... 1.50

r—87—Jersey’s Radiant—H. C.—Pale orange—6-8”. Ht. 5-6’. Many awards. An extreme rare variety. An extra fine variety at a very reasonable price... 75

n—88—Kalinda—D.—Old rose-pink—7-8”. Ht. 5-6’. 1925-6 HR. 2 Gold Medals and many other awards. 1st of the Extra Large Dahlias...

r—88—Marie Van Dyke—H. C.—Rose-pink—7-8”. Ht. 5-6’. 1925-6 HR. 2 Gold Medals and many other awards. 1st of the extra large Dahlias...

r—87—Margaret Mason—D.—Rose-pink—7-8”. Ht. 3-4’. 4 HR. Silver Medal and other awards. C. of M.—New Jersey. Very beautiful...

s—89—Mirabelle—H. C.—Lavender-pink—s-7”. Ht. 6-7”. 1927 HR. The best Decorative we have seen. 3.00

r—86—Miss Kins Solomon—I—I. C.—Glistening golden-orange—7-8”. Ht. 6-7”. 1925-6 HR. More prizes than any other Inshala. The King Pink...

s—87—Miss Lowell—H. C.—Pale rose—7-8”. Ht. 3-4’. (Foreign) HR. One of the highest rated Hybrid Cactus...

r—85—Mr. Crowley—D.—Salmon-pink—7-8”. Ht. 2.5-3.5”. Strong, semi-dwarf growth. Very fine color. Big seller...

s—90—Patrick O’Mara—D.—Gold, tinted rose—5-6”. Ht. 3.5'-4”. Stock limited. Ht. 3.5'-4'.

r—88—Evelyn Blodgett—D.—American Beauty Rose shade—6-7”. Ht. 5-6’. 2 HR. Sweepstakes, Silver Medal, etc. Wonderful color and form...

r—88—Sahibian Gem—H. D.—Salmon-pink—6-8”. Ht. 3.5'-4”. One of the best on the whole list. Very Beautiful and reliable...

r—88—Sanhican Rose—D.—True rose shade—5-6”. Ht. 3.5'-4”. Not large, but a rare and fascinating color. Fine cut...

r—87—Wizard of Oz—H. D.—Amber-pink—7-8”. Ht. 3.5'-4”. C. of M. Sweepstakes, other awards. Extra large varieties. Exhibition Type...

r—88—Pop Stewart—D.—Clear lilac—6-7.5”. Ht. 3.5'-4”. C. of M.—New Jersey. One of the highest rated in this type...

PURPLE: all shades including mauve (light rose-purple), violet, blue, lavender, etc.

r—87—Farnet—A. C.—Purple, tipped white—5.5-6.5”. Ht. 3.5'-4’. C. of M. A rare variety. Very different and very good...

r—88—Florence Fingers—D.—Deep, rose-lavender—5-6”. Ht. 3.5'-4”. C. of M. Very satisfactory for cutting...

r—88—Kirby’s Attraction—H. C.—Pure lavender and white—5.5-6.5”. Ht. 3.5'-4’. Little known Inshala we have found extra good. Highly recommended...

r—88—Mrs. I. Dever Warner—H. D.—Light rose-purple—6-7”. Ht. 4.5-5”. C. of M. One of the finest Dahlias ever introduced. Stock limited. Ht. 4.5-5'.

r—88—Nazareno—D.—True purple—6-7”. Ht. 5.5-6.5’. A rare variety, and the best purple we have seen...

r—88—Marpessa—D.—Lavender-pink, suffused white—7-8”. Ht. 6'-7’. One of the highest rated. Many prizes. C. of M. 4 HR. More than any other Dahlia. The King Pink...

PINK SHADES: including salmon, rose, rose-pink, lavender-pink, etc.

r—87—Alice Longfellow—H. C.—Pink, gold center, blush tips—6-7”. (P) Exquisite coloring. Vigorous, semi-dwarf growth. Ht. 3-5.5.

r—88—Evelyn Blodgett—D.—Rose-pink—5-7.5”. Ht. 3-4”. 1925-6 HR. Many awards. Wonderful stems and carriage. No better HR flowers...

r—87—Emma Marie—H. C.—Pink, cream center—6-7’. Ht. 4-5’. 1925-6 HR. C. of M.—New Jersey. Splendid cut flower variety...

r—87—Esther R Holmes—H. C.—Orchid-pink—5-6.5”. (P) Ht. 3-5”. C. of M. Many prizes. 7th highest rated H. C. Very dependable...

r—88—Evelyn Blodgett—D.—Lavender-pink, white center and tips—6-7”. C. of M. Highly recommended for all purposes. Ht. 3-4’.

AMERICAN CACTUS TYPE
SHOW OR BALL TYPE

r—88—Shallam Bluebird—D.—Bright violet, blue cast—4"-6". Rare color and good otherwise. Very popular. Ht. 3'-4'. 2.00
r—89—Judge Chace—H. C.—Red and bronze—4"-6". (Ferl.) (P) C. of M.—France. One of the best from abroad. Ht. 3'-4'. (P) .75
r—89—Jersey's Sovereign—D.—Salmon-orange—5'-6"-6'3". Ht. 3'-3'5. 2 C. of M. H R. variety. Unusual and beautiful color. 1.50
s—89—Judge Mareon—D.—Rose, suffused copper and gold—5'-7'. Ht. 3'-4'. One of the most beautiful and satisfactory varieties ever produced. 1.00
s—88—Merelda—D.—Apricot-luff—6'-8". Ht. 5'-6'. 6 times on the Honor Roll. A big favorite with all visitors. (P) .50
s—89—Mrs. Clemon Martin—D.—Mulberry, suffused gold 4'-6"-5'3". Ht. 3'-4'. H. R. variety. Prizes. 4th highest rated decorative. The surprising. 2.00
n—89—Peggy Roland—D.—Rose-red and gold—6'-8". Ht. 4'-6'. We took this on trial and everybody liked it so here it is. Rare. 2.00
n—The Surprise—D.—Mulberry—7'-3". Ht. 5'-6'. Another new one that has made a big hit with our garden customers. 3.50
r—88—Trentonian—D.—Dark copper—6'-7". Ht. 4'-5'. Another new one that has made a big hit with our garden customers. 3.50
s—88—The 1, 8, A.—P.—Orange—5'-7". Ht. 3'-4'. 2 C. of M. One of the top notchers. Rare. 1.00

OTHER COLORS, and blends in which no one shade predominates:

s—89—Eliza Clarke Bull—D.—Pure white—4"-7". (P) Ht. 6'-7'. C. of M.—New Jersey. Almost true Cactus type. Very good. 4.00
r—89—Eliza Clarke Bull—D.—Pure white—4"-6" (P) Ht. 3'-4'. H. R. C. of M. Gold Medal, etc. The best white decorative. C. of M.—New Jersey. Many prizes for largest flower. Even carriage 2.00
s—87—Susan G. Biddle—D.—Deep Blue or azure—4'-6". (P) 3'-4'-5'5. Gold Medal variety. C. of M. Should be in every dahlia garden. 1.50
n—Wanda Miller—D.—Purple, tipped white—5'-7". (P) Ht 3'-4'. Striking combination on excellent stems. Scarce. 3.00

WHITE: including blush and cream tints:

n—88—Agda Patterson—H. C.—Pure white—4'-7". (P) Ht. 6'-7'. C. of M.—New Jersey. Almost true Cactus type. Very good. 4.00
s—89—Eliza Clarke Bull—D.—Pure white—4'-6"-8". (P) Ht. 3'-4'. H. R. C. of M. Gold Medal, etc. The best White Decorative. C. of M.—New Jersey. Many prizes for largest flower. Even carriage 2.00
r—88—Hollie Mcllwain, Jr.—H. D.—White, lavender tints—5'-6". Ht. 3'-5'. Very beautiful. Largest blooms are about right. Wrong coloring. 2.00
n—88—Maggie Woodrow Wilson—D.—Opalescent pink; effect blush-white—7'-8". (P) H. R. C. of M.—New Jersey. Many prizes. The best of this shade. 3.50
n—Prelusion (Bloomfield) H. C.—White—6'-7". (P) Ht. 3'-4'. Most profuse, large flowered variety in our garden. Stock limited. 2.00
n—88—Snowdrift—D.—Pure white—6'-7". Ht 3'-3'5. A big Dahlia for little money. Vigorous dwarf grower. (P) .50
n—89—World's Best White—D.—Cream-white—5'-7". (P) Ht. 3'-6'. 2 H. R. Many prizes. The best of this shade. 1.50

OTHER COLORS, and blends in which no one shade predominates:

s—89—Alex Walddie—D.—Cream, suffused salmon-pink—5'-7". Ht. 4'-5'. H. C. of M.—New Jersey. Many prizes. Odd coloring. A beautiful flower. 1.75
r—Amity—D.—Reddish brown—6'-7". Ht. 3'-4'. Not generally listed. One of the most satisfactory we have grown. 3.50
r—89—Charles H. Strutt—I.—Pale gold and rose—4'-5". Ht. 4'-5". C. of M.—New Jersey. Many prizes. Odd coloring. A beautiful flower. 1.75
s—89—Countess of Lonsdale—I.—Salmon-red—4'-5". (Ferl.) Ht. 3'-4'. An old favorite. Generous blooming variety on the list. .50
n—Dr. Terst—I.—Salmon, purple and gold—4'-6". (P) Ht. 4'-5". C. of M. Gold Medals, etc. Very fine. Few semi-doubles. .50
n—89—Earle Williams—D.—Red and white—6'-7". Ht. 3'-4'. Silver Cup (A. D. ,S. and many other awards. Best Standard these colors. .75

SHOW OR BALL TYPE Dahlias:

A. D. Lavoni—Pink—2'-3".6.5. .8 .25
Dee's Yellow—Bright yellow—1'-6".6.5. .50
Gold Medal Red and gold—3'-4'.6.5.6.5. .50
Helen Holliis—Red—3'-5'.6.5. .35
J. K. Alexander—Rose-purple—1'-6". (P) .1.00
La France—Very dark red and gold—3'-4'.6.5. .35
Maudie Adams—White—tip pink—3'-4'.6.5. .35
Norma—Creamy buff—7'-8".6.5. .35
Strobing—Pure White—5'-7".6.5. .25
Princess Victoria Yellow—2'-3".6.5. .25

Pompons (Same formation as Show Type only much smaller):

Alum—Bronze .8 .50
Billie Heeswing—Red and gold—3'-4'.6.5.6.5. .50
Bobby—Plum .50
Dye Dee—Lavender .50
Goldie—Gold .50
Helen—White .50
Johnny—Dark Red .50
Little Reeswing—Red and gold .50
Little David—Orange .50
Nervisa—Silver rose .75
Sunshine—Bright red .50
Violet—Brandy .58

EXTRAS—Gratis.

Orders amounting to from $2.00 to $5.00 entitle you to one 50c. A half dozen from this list, free of charge. Orders amounting to from $3.00 to $6.00 entitle you to one $1.00 Dahlia from this list, free of charge. Orders amounting to from $4.00 to $8.00 entitle you to one $2.00 Dahlia from this list, free of charge. Orders amounting to from $5.00 or over entitle you to select from this list, free of charge, additional stock to the extent of 20 per cent of the total. For instance if you order $7.50 worth of Dahlias you will be entitled to a $1.50 variety extra. In case you may care to leave the choice of extras to us, we shall do our best to see that you are not disappointed.

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS:

We make up Special Collections (labeled)—all first class varieties of our own selection for $3.00, $5.00 and $10.00 per dozen, postpaid. These collections afford you a saving of about 25 per cent from list price. In case you may only wish a half dozen the prices are $1.75, $2.75 and $5.25, which ever postage.

SPECIAL NOTICE:

Any variety you don't see listed—ask for.

We can supply you with As Stock of any variety available on the market—AT REASONABLE PRICE.