

- 5795. PHASEOLUS VULGARIS. Adler bean.**
 From Sachsenfeld, Styria, Austria. Received through Mr. D. G. Fairchild (No. 484, December 21, 1900), January 16, 1901.
Adler. A sample. "One of the finest varieties known in Austria. It is indigenous to Styria, where it is considered by connoisseurs an exceptionally fine table bean. I have eaten it and found it unusually good, though the skin is somewhat tough. It is, however, worth a trial by experiment stations." (*Fairchild.*)
- 5796. PAPAVER SOMNIFERUM. Poppy.**
 From Sachsenfeld, Styria, Austria. Received through Mr. D. G. Fairchild (No. 485, December 20, 1900), January 16, 1901.
 A large-podded variety of poppy, grown in Styria exclusively for the production of oil. The pods are collected in autumn, dried, their tops cut off, and the seed shaken out. The seed is then ground and an oil is pressed out of it. This oil is extensively used in cooking and as a table oil. It is said not to grow rancid, and is very highly esteemed by the Styrians. The pods are often 2 inches in diameter." (*Fairchild.*)
- 5797. COFFEA ARABICA. Coffee.**
 From Macassar, Celebes. Presented by Mr. Karl Auer, U. S. consular agent, Macassar, through Messrs. Lathrop and Fairchild (No. 485a, February 11, 1900), January 22, 1901.
Patjoe or *Bonthain* coffee. "A superior local variety from south Celebes, which was formerly exported in large quantities to Europe." (*Fairchild.*)
- 5798. BROMELIA sp. Timbiriche.**
 From Celaya, Mexico. Presented by Prof. Felix Foëx. Received January 22, 1901.
 "Like the Jarilla (No. 5753), it is a fruit to be drunk, not eaten. It is ground or crushed in water. The Mexicans prefer this as a refreshing drink to lemonade made from lemons. It is especially valuable for improving hard water, i. e., calcareous or magnesian waters, because the acid in the fruit precipitates these salts. The fruit does not grow in this vicinity, but in an arid region higher up. The plant is said to resemble the Yucca, but I have not seen it. The fruits sell in the markets here at 1 cent each, while other fruits have no value because of their abundance." (*Foëx.*)
- 5799. TRITICUM POLONICUM. Polish wheat.**
 From France. Received January 23, 1901.
Polish or *Astrakhan.*
- 5800. TRITICUM DURUM. Wheat.**
 From Paris, France. Received January 23, 1901.
Belotourka.
- 5801. LAVANDULA VERA. Lavender.**
 From Paris, France. Received January 23, 1901.
- 5802. LAVANDULA SPICA. Spike lavender.**
 From Paris, France. Received January 23, 1901.
- 5803. SESAMUM INDICUM. Sesame.**
 From Paris, France. Received January 23, 1901.
 White seeded.