

5979. ACTINIDIA sp.

From Ichang, China. Received through Mr. G. D. Brill (No. 3), December, 1900.

Yang tao. "Fruit larger and more pointed than No. 5978. The skin is a lighter purple and thinner, and when eaten raw this has the better flavor." (*Brill.*)

5980. EUCOMMIA ULMOIDES.

From Ichang, China. Presented by Mr. E. H. Wilson, of Kew Gardens, through Mr. G. D. Brill (No. 4). Received December, 1900.

Ti Cheng. "A medium-sized tree growing wild around Ichang. It is said to be cultivated in the mountains of Hupei. The bark is used as a medicine and the glutinous seeds to adulterate silk. It is said that rubber can be extracted from the seeds. No successful experiments have, however, been made in the extraction of this supposed rubber." (*Brill.*)

5981. BENTHAMIA FRAGIFERA.**Strawberry tree.**

From Ichang, China. Received through Mr. G. D. Brill, December, 1900.

"Medium-sized tree, quite showy, fruit very palatable and used for food in some parts of China." (*Brill.*)

5982. CITRUS LIMONUM.**Lemon.**

From Bocce di Cattaro, Dalmatia. Received through Mr. D. G. Fairchild (No. 517, February 1, 1901), March 13, 1901.

Cattaro Giant. "A very large lemon, said to have originated in Mesopotamia. The trees are very vigorous and good bearers. The fruit sometimes weighs four or five pounds, and has a flesh of excellent flavor and juiciness." (*Fairchild.*)

5983. JUGLANS REGIA.**Walnut.**

From Bocce di Cattaro, Dalmatia. Received through Mr. D. G. Fairchild (No. 578, February 2, 1901), March 13, 1901.

Giant of Cattaro. "A very large English walnut of fine flavor, which brings double the price of ordinary walnuts on the Dalmatian market. Specimens, which were said to be smaller than the average, measured $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches long by $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches in diameter. The shell is hard and irregular. The tree grows rapidly and is a free bearer. Scions were taken from a tree on the farm of Francesco Navarin. Called to my attention by Cristoforo Spalatin of Castelnuovo." (*Fairchild.*)

5984. OLEA EUROPAEA.**Olive.**

From Bocce di Cattaro, Dalmatia. Received through Mr. D. G. Fairchild (No. 519, February 2, 1901), March 13, 1901.

Giant of Cattaro. "A very large seedling olive, specimens of which measured $1\frac{3}{4}$ inches in length by 1 inch in diameter. From two trees growing near Castelnuovo. Called to my attention by Cristoforo Spalatin." (*Fairchild.*)

5985. VITIS VINIFERA.**Grape.**

From Corfu, Greece. Received through Mr. D. G. Fairchild (No. 521, February 7, 1901), March 13, 1901.

Sultanina. "A light-yellow, transparent, seedless raisin grape. Considered to be one of the most valuable varieties, and that from which the 'Sultanina' seedless raisins of Greece are made. These raisins must not be confused with the 'Corinths,' for they are twice as large, of a light golden color, semitransparent, and much more valuable." (*Fairchild.*)

5986. CITRUS LIMONUM.**Lemon.**

From Corfu, Greece. Received through Mr. D. G. Fairchild (No. 522, February 7, 1901), March 13, 1901.

A giant-fruited variety of lemon, probably the same as No. 5982.