

6649. OLEA EUROPAEA.**Olive.**

From Corfu, Greece. Presented by Mr. Antonio Colla through Mr. D. G. Fairchild (No. 535, February 12, 1901). Received May 21, 1901.

"A variety of olive which is said to ripen its fruit in July instead of in October and at the same time to be a heavier yielder than the ordinary sorts grown in Corfu. Called '*Olivo di Estate*,' and I am assured by Mr. Colla, of Corfu, that this variety is known only in a small part of the island of Corfu." (*Fairchild.*)

6650. JUGLANS REGIA.**Walnut.**

From Corfu, Greece. Presented by Mr. Antonio Colla through Mr. D. G. Fairchild (No. 531, February 12, 1901). Received May 21, 1901.

"A very large variety of walnut grown at Paleocastritza, near the town of Corfu. The nut is of quite unusual proportions and the shell is said to be of only medium thickness. The thin skin of the kernel is also said to be less bitter than that of ordinary varieties." (*Fairchild.*)

6651. JUGLANS REGIA.**Walnut.**

From Corfu, Greece. Presented by Mr. Antonio Colla through Mr. D. G. Fairchild (No. 532, February 12, 1901). Received May 21, 1901.

"A variety of walnut having a shell so thin that it splits open of itself as the exocarp or outer covering dries, exposing the kernel within. An interesting house nut, but probably of little commercial value. May, however, be excellent for breeding purposes." (*Fairchild.*)

6652. JUGLANS REGIA.**Walnut.**

From Corfu, Greece. Received May 21, 1901.

(No data.)

6653. LINUM USITATISSIMUM.**Flax.**

From Kafr-el-Zayat, Egypt. Received through Mr. D. G. Fairchild (No. 607, April 18, 1901), May 21, 1901.

"The native Egyptian flax which, according to Mr. Bonaparte's experiments near Cairo, is much inferior to the Belgian imported variety. I can not say positively that this Egyptian variety used by Bonaparte was identical with this seed sent. The stems are long, not blanched near the ground, but of quite miniature and slender size compared with that from Belgian seed. For breeders only." (*Fairchild.*)

6654. CITRUS LIMONUM.**Lemon.**

From Cairo, Egypt. Received through Mr. D. G. Fairchild (No. 608, April 18, 1901), May 21, 1901.

Lemon beledi. "A native Egyptian lemon which is not grafted, but grown from seed. It comes true to seed, or reasonably so at any rate. It is a thin-skinned, very juicy variety and is keenly appreciated in Egypt, although a good Syrian variety is common there. This is valued for its great juiciness and wonderfully prolific character." (*Fairchild.*)

6655. GOSSYPIUM sp.**Cotton.**

From Cairo, Egypt. Received through Mr. D. G. Fairchild, May 21, 1901.

"Samples of a variety said to be growing wild in the Sudan, and also a sample from the Province of Tokar, in the Sudan, grown from seed sent up there from Lower Egypt last year to show the quality of Sudan-grown cotton." (*Fairchild.*)

6656. PYRUS MALUS.**Apple.**

Received through Hunter & Sons, Gosford, New South Wales, May 22, 1901.

Irish Peach.