

91678 to 91734—Continued.

91725. No. 6755. *Akazu* (red bean). A medium-sized oval seal-brown bean with yellow germ.

91726. No. 6756. *Ucousetta* (crow's early bean). A medium-sized bluish-green nearly round bean with black hilum and yellow germ.

91727. No. 6757. *Komujomukon*. A medium-sized oval slightly flattened black bean with yellow germ.

91728. No. 6758. *Chulkon*. A very small nearly round light-brown bean, very similar to Brownie, No. 17256.

91729. No. 6759. *Kokaita*. A medium-sized oval greenish-yellow bean with brown hilum.

Nos. 91730 to 91734 were obtained at Kungchuling, Manchuria, January 30, 1931; mixed samples of yellow-seeded varieties from various sources, graded by the Grade Conference of the South Manchurian Railway, in December, 1930.

91730. No. 6767. *Excellent*, *Grade No. 1*, used for soy sauce and miso.

91731. No. 6768. *Grade No. 1*.

91732. No. 6769. *Grade No. 2*.

91733. No. 6770. *Grade No. 3*.

91734. No. 6771. *Grade No. 4*.

91735 to 91742.

From Medellin, Colombia, South America. Seeds presented by Dr. W. A. Archer, Escuela de Agricultura. Received February 28, 1931.

91735. *CIPURA PALUDOSA* Aubl. Iridaceae.

No. 5. Collected November 9, 1930, at Medellin. A beautiful dwarf bulbous plant with narrow lanceolate grasslike leaves 12 to 15 inches high. The light-blue flowers, not over 1 inch in diameter, are similar in color to those of *Iris palida dalmatica*. It is native to the Guianas.

For previous introduction see 37877.

91736. *IPOMOEA* sp. Convolvulaceae. **Morning-glory.**

No. 1. Collected at Medellin, November 9, 1930. A dwarf morning-glory 3 to 4 feet high, with blue flowers.

91737. *MERIANIA NOBILIS* Triana. Melastomaceae.

No. 7. *Amarroballa*. Collected at Santa Elena, December 28, 1930. A large tree with large purplish blossoms which are very handsome.

91738. (Undetermined.)

No. 9. *Lirio virginal*. Collected December 28, 1930, at Santa Elena. Aerial bulbils borne on the flower stalk of a liliaceous plant. The flowers are said to be white and to look like a lily.

91739. (Undetermined.)

No. 6. *Cortapico*. Collected at Santa Elena, December 28, 1930. A climbing plant which grows 20 feet high. The flowers are pale yellow with purple spots and dark reddish sepals.

91740. (Undetermined.)

No. 2. A terrestrial orchid, collected at Santa Elena, December 28, 1930.

91741 to 91742—Continued.

91741. (Undetermined.)

No. 3. *La Sierra*. A terrestrial orchid, collected at Medellin, January 4, 1930.

91742. (Undetermined.)

No. 4. A terrestrial orchid, collected at Santa Elena in October, 1930.

91743. (Undetermined.)

From Indo-China. Seeds presented by the Institut des Recherches Agronomiques de l'Indochine, Division de Botanique. Received February 28, 1931.

Collected near Laokay between 4,500 and 6,000 feet altitude. A handsome saponaceous tree 45 to 60 feet high, with golden foliage.

91744. *CASTANOPSIS TRIBULOIDES* (J. E. Smith) A. DC. Fagaceae.

From India. Seeds presented by R. N. Parker, Forest Botanist, Dehra Dun, United Provinces. Received March 2, 1931.

An evergreen chinquapin from the subtropical Himalayas, with small narrow leaves and solitary nuts. The tree is usually 40 to 80 feet high. The bark is said to yield a relatively large amount of tannin.

For previous introduction see 71030.

91745 to 91760.

From the West Indies. Seeds presented by the Allison V. Armour expedition to Mexico and the West Indies, 1931, through J. H. Kempton, Bureau of Plant Industry. Received March 2, 1931.

Nos. 91745 to 91747 were collected at the Harvard Botanic Garden, Soledad, Cienfuegos, Cuba, February 10, 1931.

91745. *BOTOR TETRAGONOLOBA* (L.) Kuntze (*Psophocarpus tetragonolobus* DC.). Fabaceae. **Goa bean.**

No. 9132. A summer vegetable with winged pods, which are eaten like string beans. The seeds are also eaten after the pods are too tough to use. This plant produces its seeds in the summer after the other beans have matured.

For previous introduction see 74529.

91746. *CHRYSALIDOCARPUS MADAGASCARIENSIS* Beccari (*Dypsis madagascariensis* Hort.). Phoenicaceae. **Palm.**

No. 9126. A graceful palm, native to Madagascar, about 15 feet high, with pinnate leaves 10 feet long, having the segments arranged in fascicles and appearing to be in threes, giving a triangular effect.

For previous introduction see 81511.

91747. *HIBISCUS SORORIUS* L. Malvaceae. No. 9111.

For previous introduction and description see 90919.

91748 to 91758. *GOSSYPIUM* spp. Malvaceae. **Cotton.**

Nos. 91748 to 91753 were collected February 11, 1931, on Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands.

91748. *GOSSYPIUM* sp.

No. 9138. A variety with green fuzz.