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shrub with glossy green leaves, fragrant white flowers, and small yellow edible fruits. Under cultivation this may prove a good hedge plant for rocky pine-land.

95696 to 95698. *PASSIFLORA* spp. Passifloraceae.

95696. *PASSIFLORA CUPRÆA* L.

No. 2562. Collected near Arthur Town, Cat Island, Bahamas, January 4, 1932. A rather attractive vine with dark-brown leathery leaves and flowers of a coppery hue. The small fruits, the size of marbles, turn dark purple or almost black when ripe.

95697 and 95698. *PASSIFLORA PECTINATA* Griseb.

A red-fruited species with attractive foliage of thickish dark-green leaves.

95697. No. 2569. Collected January 5, 1932 on Conception Island.

95698. No. 2569-A. Collected January 6, 1932 on Rum Key.

95699. *PHASEOLUS VULGARIS* L. Fabaceae. Common bean.

No. 2566. Collected January 4, 1932 on Cat Island. A white or yellowish-white flowered bean with pure white beans which is a vigorous grower and may be a perennial. It is cultivated in the corn-fields here by the colored folks who eat it when they cannot get the pigeonpea.

95700. *PHOENIX ROEBELNI* O'Brien. Phoenicaceae. Roebelen date palm.

No. 2560. Collected at Old Fort, Nassau, New Providence Island, January 31, 1932.

For previous introduction see 75225.

95701. *PINUS PINEA* L. Pinaceae. Italian stone pine.

No. 7. A large tree up to 80 feet high, with long horizontal branches eventually forming a flat crown. The rigid acute bright-green leaves are 5 to 8 inches long, and the broadly ovate chestnut-brown cones, 4 to 6 inches long, bear reddish-brown seeds nearly 1 inch long. It is native to southern Europe.

95702 and 95703. *SESAMUM ORIENTALE* L. Pedaliaceae. Sesame.

95702. No. 8. Collected on Cat Island.

95703. No. 2556. *Benni* seed. Collected January 2, 1932 at Nassau, New Providence Island. A white-seeded strain. A good cooking oil is made from the seed and is used in making cakes and candies.

95704. *GOUANIA LUPULOIDES* (L.) Urban. Rhamnaceae.

No. 2559. Collected January 3, 1932 near Grant Town, Nassau, New Providence Island. A woody vine, native to the West Indies up to 25 feet high, climbing by coiled tendrils. The thin cordate serrate leaves are 1 to 4 inches long; the small yellow flowers are borne in pubescent racemes and are followed by broadly winged fruits half an inch long.

95705. *TALINUM PANICULATUM* (Jacq.) Gaertn. Portulacaceae.

No. 2567. Collected January 2, 1932 near Grant Town, Nassau, New Providence Island. An ornamental shrub with

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smooth dark-green slightly fleshy obovate leaves and loose panicles of deep pink flowers followed by tiny papery pods, filled with dark-brown seeds.

For previous introduction see 68863.

95706 to 96383. *SOJA MAX* (L.) Piper (*Glycine hispida* Maxim.). Fabaceae. Soybean.

From Chosen. Seeds arranged for by the Dorsett and Morse expedition and sent through the American consulate at Tokyo, Japan. Received January 26, 1932.

A collection of soybeans presented by the Seisen Shijo (western branch) of the Agricultural Experiment Station of the Chosen Government, Shariin, October 24, 1931.

95706 to 95718. From the Zenra-Nando Prefecture.

95706. No. 7971. Station no. 1. Medium size, straw-yellow with dark-brown hilum; heavily mottled with brown.

95707. No. 7972. Station no. 2. Medium large, olive-yellow with dark brown hilum; slightly mottled with brown.

95708. No. 7973. Station no. 3. Medium small green with brown hilum; green germ; slightly mottled with brown.

95709. No. 7974. Station no. 4. Medium size, straw to olive-yellow with a pale hilum; slightly mottled with brown.

95710. No. 7975. Station no. 5. Medium size, straw-yellow with pale hilum; slightly mottled with brown.

95711. No. 7976. Station no. 6. Medium size, straw to olive-yellow with pale hilum; slightly mottled with brown.

95712. No. 7977. Station no. 7. Medium size, black with yellow germ.

95713. No. 7978. Station no. 8. Medium size, straw-yellow with brown hilum; slightly mottled with brown.

95714. No. 7979. Station no. 9. Medium size, straw-yellow, with brown hilum; slightly flattened; slightly mottled with brown.

95715. No. 7980. Station no. 10. Medium small, green with light-brown hilum; germ green.

95716. No. 7981. Station no. 11. Medium size, straw-yellow with pale hilum; heavily mottled with brown.

95717. No. 7982. Station no. 12. Medium size, straw to olive-yellow with pale hilum; slightly mottled with brown.

95718. No. 7983. Station no. 13. Medium size, straw-yellow with pale hilum; heavily mottled with brown.

95719 to 95740. From the Zenra-Hokudo Prefecture.

95719. No. 7984. Station no. 14. Medium size, straw-yellow with pale hilum; slightly mottled with brown.

95720. No. 7985. Station no. 15. Medium size, straw-yellow with pale hilum; slightly mottled with brown.