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pale-rose and are borne in compact, many-flowered umbels. It is native to Yunnan.

100344 and 100345. RHODODENDRON HIPPOPHAEOIDES Balf. and Smith.

For previous introduction and description see 98465.

100344. G. F. 5. 100345. G. F. 21.

100346. RHODODENDRON KYAWI Lacc and Smith.

F. 29929. A shrub 15 to 20 feet high, native to northeastern Burma. The oblong to oblong-oval leaves, 6 to 12 inches long, are bright green above and pale green beneath, and the tubular-campanulate flowers, 2 to 3 inches long, are deep crimson and are borne in racemose corymbs of 12 to 16.

100347. RHODODENDRON LEPTOTHRIUM Balf. and Forr.

G. F. 23. A shrub 2 to 5 feet high, with leaves bright green on both sides and purple-red flowers; found at 10,500 feet altitude in Yunnan.

For previous introduction see 94042.

100348. RHODODENDRON LITIENSE Balf. and Forr.

G. F. 3. A shrub 4 to 9 feet high, with densely glandular branchlets, native to Yunnan. The thin, leathery, oblong to oblong-oval leaves, 2 to 3 inches long, are green above and glaucous beneath, and the widely campanulate clear-yellow flowers, 1 inch long, are borne in racemose umbels of 5 or 6.

100349. RHODODENDRON MEGACALYX Balf. and Ward.

F. 29809. A bushy tree 10 to 16 feet high, native to northeastern Burma between 7,000 and 9,000 feet altitude. The elliptic to obovate-elliptic leaves, 4 to 6 inches long, are glabrous above and glaucous with small scales beneath. The fragrant white flowers, in clusters of about five, have a bell-shaped calyx 1 inch long, and the broadly funnel-shaped corolla is more than 2 inches long.

100350. RHODODENDRON PRONUM Tagg. and Forr.

G. F. 26. A stunted prostrate shrub 3 to 10 feet high, native to Yunnan between 12,000 and 15,000 feet altitude. The oblong-elliptic to oblanceolate leaves, 1 to 3 inches long, are dull and slightly rugulose above and covered beneath with dull-gray to fawn loosely felted tomentum. The obliquely campanulate flowers, more than an inch long, are creamy yellow with copious deep-crimson markings and are borne in a racemose umbel of 8 to 12 flowers surrounded by the persistent bud scales and bracts.

100351 and 100352. RHODODENDRON PROSTRATUM W. W. Smith.

A prostrate shrub with bristly branchlets 4 inches high, native to Yunnan between 15,000 and 16,000 feet altitude. The broadly oblong-elliptic leaves, less than 1 inch long, are glossy and reticulate above and densely covered beneath with brown scales. The pink-violet, red-spotted flowers, less than 1 inch long, are widely funnel-shaped and are borne in small terminal clusters.

100351. F. 30543. 100352. F. 30891.

100353. RHODODENDRON RACEMOSUM Franch. Mayflower rhododendron.

G. F. 10.

For previous introduction and description see 98471.

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100354. RHODODENDRON SPERABILE Balf. and Farr.

F. 30912. A shrub 3 to 6 feet high, native to northeastern Burma between 10,000 and 12,000 feet altitude. The lanceolate to elliptic leaves, 2 to 4 inches long, are dark green above and clothed beneath with pale-cinnamon to tawny thick woolly tomentum. The fleshy tubular-campanulate flowers, 1 to 2 inches long, are scarlet, marked at the base with dark spots, and are borne in 4- or 5-flowered terminal umbels.

100355 to 100356. RHODODENDRON STEWARTIANUM Diels.

A graceful shrub 3 to 7 feet high, native to the Burma-Yunnan border between 10,000 and 14,000 feet altitude. The leathery elliptic to obovate leaves, 2 to 5 inches long, are bright green above and covered beneath with a thin cream-yellow farinose indumentum. The tubular-campanulate flowers, 2 inches long, vary from pure white or soft yellow through white flushed rose to deep rose margined with deep crimson.

100355. G. F. 4. 100357. F. 29685.

100356. F. 29663. 100358. F. 30533.

100359. RHODODENDRON SUB-EROSUM Balf. and Forr.

F. 29687. A shrub 5 to 7 feet high, closely resembling *R. yunnanense*, native to Yunnan. The evergreen oblanceolate to obovate leaves, 2 to 3 inches long, are smooth above but bristly on the margin, with fleshy scales beneath. The slightly irregular flowers, about 1 inch long, are faintly flushed rose with deep-rose markings and are borne in terminal or lateral 3- to 5-flowered clusters.

100360. RHODODENDRON TALIENSE Franch.

G. F. 1. A loosely branched shrub 4 to 8 feet high, native to Yunnan. The broadly lanceolate to oblong-ovate leaves, 2 to 5 inches long, are dark green and rugulose above and covered beneath with a tawny feltlike tomentum. The funnel-campanulate flowers, 1 to 2 inches long, are clear cream yellow or flushed rose with deep-crimson markings and are borne in umbels of 10 to 15 flowers.

100361. RHODODENDRON TEPHROPELUM Balf. and Farr.

F. 29655. A low shrub 2 to 4 feet high, with stiff branches, native to the Burma-Tibet border at 14,000 feet altitude. The oblong-ovate leaves, 1 to 2 inches long, are slightly scaly above and densely scaly beneath with small black scales. The magenta-rose flowers, with crimson-purple tubes 1 inch long, are borne in terminal clusters of 3 or 4 flowers each.

100362. RHODODENDRON TRAILLIANUM Forr. and Smith.

F. 30531. A shrub or small tree, up to 30 feet high, native to Yunnan. The elliptic to broadly oblong-lanceolate leaves, 3 to 6 inches long, are glabrous above and clad beneath with a suedlike green-gray or dull tawny tomentum. The funnel-campanulate flowers, 1 to 2 inches long, are white or rose white with deep-crimson spots and are borne in racemose umbels of 10 to 15 flowers.

100363. RUBUS LINEATUS Reinw. Rosaceae.

F. 29971. A perennial herb with very few prickles, native to the Himalayas in India and Java. The palmately divided leaves have 3 to 5 coriaceous lanceolate leaflets, 5 inches long, silky silvery tomentum beneath, and the white flowers, 1 inch across, borne in elongated silvery panicles, are followed by edible pink to yellow fruits.