

115428 to 115525—Continued.

115495 to 115497. *RAPHANUS SATIVUS* L.
Brassicaceae. Radish.

From Poona, March 16, 1936. Presented by the principal of the Poona Agricultural College.

115495. No. 328. *Magri*. The seed pods, up to 2 feet long, are used as a vegetable.

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115497. No. 331. *Sufed muli*. The leaves and the white root, up to a foot long, are eaten. The flavor is mild and pleasant, and the plant is said to grow the year round.

115498. *SOJA MAX* (L.) Piper. Fabaceae.
Soybean.

No. 337. From Poona, March 16, 1936. Origin unknown; the beans are used both as food and as fodder.

115499. *CAJANUS INDICUS* Spreng. Fabaceae.
Pigeonpea.

No. 203. *Tuarka balli*. From Bangalore, Mysore, March 5, 1936. Much esteemed as food.

115500. *VOANDZEBIA SUBTERRANEA* (L.) Thours. Fabaceae.

No. 246. *Musambi charma*. From Bombay, March 8, 1936. Eaten dry and said to be imported from Africa.

115501 to 115512. *SOLANUM MELONGENA* L.
Solanaceae. Eggplant.

115501. No. 278. *Kathe vanjalk*. From Poona, March 15, 1936. A very seedy, much-esteemed fruit, globose, greenish, marked white or purple, and about 2 inches in diameter with a spiny calyx.

115502. No. 323. *Gote vangi*. From Poona, March 16, 1936. A popular variety, said to be subglobose, of medium size, pale purple lined abundantly with white.

115503. No. 324. *Kalevangi*. From Poona, March 16, 1936. A black-purple fruit 8 inches long.

115504. No. 339. *Muktakeshi*. From Poona, March 16, 1936. A variety weighing up to 2 pounds and free from seeds.

115505. No. 340. *Giant of Benares*. A strain selected by a local seedsman from a northern variety. Said to grow to 3 pounds.

115506 to 115512. From Poona, March 16, 1936. Presented by Dr. G. S. Cheema, Chief Horticulturist, Bombay Government. A collection of strains bred from the local forms, represented in his collection.

115506. No. 321. *Black Beauty*.

115507. No. 321-A. *Gote Vangi*.

115508. No. 321-B. *Long Green*.

115509. No. 321-C. *Long Purple*.

115510. No. 321-D. *New York Improved Purple*.

115511. No. 321-E. *Round Purple*.

115512. No. 321-F. *Round Purple*.

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115513 to 115517. *TRITICUM AESTIVUM* L.
Poaceae. Common wheat.

From Poona, March 16, 1936.

115513. No. 283. *Punjabi Sarvati*. Said to have come originally from the Punjab.

115514. No. 284. *Kaligawaran*.

115515. No. 285. *Gawaran*.

115516. No. 286. *Sarpatti Gawaran*.

115517. No. 282. *Bakshi gao*. Said to be locally grown and to be a very good winter crop.

115518. *VIGNA SESQUIPEDALIS* (L.) Frurth. Fabaceae. Asparagus-bean.

No. 344. From Poona, March 16, 1936. Pods and seeds used as food, but the plant is not widely grown, although the pods appear to be very good.

115519 to 115524. *VIGNA SINENSIS* (Toner) Savi. Fabaceae. Cowpea.

115519. No. 243. *Chotti chau*. From Bombay, March 8, 1936. Said to be eaten dry and to be from Gujerat.

115520. No. 247. *Chaula*. From Bombay, March 8, 1936. Said to come from Abusar. Eaten dry.

115521 to 115524. From Poona, March 16, 1936. Presented by the principal of the Poona Agricultural College. *Chauli*. The seeds are eaten dry and used as fodder.

115521. No. 316. 115523. No. 318.

115522. No. 317. 115524. No. 319.

115525. *ZIZIPHUS MAURITIANA* Lam. Rhamnaceae. Indian jujube.

No. 253. *Bhor*. From Bombay, March 11, 1936. An uncultivated tree whose leaves are used for fodder and the small fruits, three-fourths of an inch in diameter, are more or less astringent, but edible.

115526 to 115537.

From the Netherlands. Seeds presented by Dr. Th. J. Stomps, Director, Botanic Garden of the University of Amsterdam, Amsterdam. Received April 22, 1936.

115526. *CUCURBITA MAXIMA* Duchesne. Cucurbitaceae. Squash.

For previous introduction see 114648.

115528. *LACTUCA VIROSA* L. Cichoriaceae.

For previous introduction see 114536.

115529. *RHEUM PALMATUM* L. Polygonaceae. Sorrel rhubarb.

For previous introduction see 115274.

115530. *RHEUM PALMATUM TANGUTICUM* Maxim. Polygonaceae. Rhubarb.

For previous introduction see 114468.

115531 to 115537. *SOLANUM* spp. Solanaceae.

115531. *SOLANUM AVICULARE* Forst. f. Nightshade.