

20001 to 20229—Continued.

- 20049. LACTUCA SATIVA.** Lettuce.
From Shan-hai-kwan, China. "(No. 301a, Apr. 23, 1906.) Chinese name *Chiu tsi*. For description see No. 300a (S. P. I. No. 20048)." (Meyer.)
- 20050. BETA VULGARIS.** Beet.
From Liaoyang, Manchuria. "(No. 302a, June 4, 1906.) Chinese name *Kun to tsay*. The leaves are used as a vegetable." (Meyer.)
- 20051. CUCUMIS SATIVUS.** Cucumber.
From Liaoyang, Manchuria. "(No. 303a, June 20, 1906.) Chinese name *Gwan kwa*. A long, green cucumber used as an early vegetable. Grows on trellises made from sorghum stalks and in warm sheltered situations." (Meyer.)
- 20052. LAGENARIA VULGARIS.** Gourd.
From Liaoyang, Manchuria. "(No. 304a, June 4, 1906.) Chinese name *Gu tsu*. A gourd eaten boiled as a vegetable; when young it is also pickled in brine." (Meyer.)
- 20053. ALLIUM SATIVUM.** Garlic.
From Liaoyang, Manchuria. (No. 305a, June 4, 1906.)
- 20054. ALLIUM CEPA.** Onion.
From Liaoyang, Manchuria. "(No. 306a, June 4, 1906.) An inferior Chinese onion; used sparingly as a vegetable, not being strong enough to suit the Celestial palate." (Meyer.)
- 20055. SONCHUS sp.**
From Musan, northern Korea. "(No. 307a, Aug. 29, 1906.) A wild vegetable, the young leaves of which are usually served raw as a salad, but they are also sometimes boiled. It tastes like the dandelion and is well worth trying. Can probably be easily forced. However, on sandy loam it is sometimes a bad weed, so I would recommend to be quite careful with it in testing." (Meyer.)
- 20056. CANNABIS SATIVA.** Hemp.
From Yentai, Manchuria. "(No. 281a, June 1, 1906.) Chinese name *Shem ma*. These seeds come from the rich plain between Mukden and Liaoyang, where the soil is a heavy yellow loam. The seeds are thickly sown broadcast and the stems are harvested when they begin to set seeds." (Meyer.)
- 20057. CANNABIS SATIVA.** Hemp.
From Liaoyang, Manchuria. "(No. 282a, June 2, 1906.) Chinese name *Shem ma*. Probably the same as No. 281a (S. P. I. No. 20056)." (Meyer.)
- 20058. CANNABIS SATIVA.** Hemp.
From Newchwang, Manchuria. "(No. 283a, May 22, 1906.) Seed obtained from Mr. T. Sammons, American consul-general, Newchwang, who obtained the seeds from Hai-tcheng, Manchuria. This is a fine variety of hemp." (Meyer.)
(See S. P. I. No. 17528.)
- 20059. ABUTILON AVICENNAE.** China jute.
From Newchwang, Manchuria. "(No. 284a, May 22, 1906.) Seed obtained from Mr. T. Sammons, American consul-general, Newchwang, who obtained the seed from Hai-tcheng, Manchuria. This is a coarse variety of hemp used for rope making." (Meyer.)
(See S. P. I. No. 17529.)