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low to salmon pink, often rib lined with deep green; flesh to 1½ inches thick, pale salmon, insipid.

124206. No. 2625. Fruit subglobose to 8 inches in diameter, smooth, obscurely ribbed, yellow, rib lined with dark green; flesh thin, pale salmon, rather acid, poor.

124207. No. 2631. Fruit subglobose, somewhat flattened, 8 inches in diameter, obscurely ribbed, obscurely netted, pink brown, blotched green with deep green rib lines; flesh salmon, 1½ inches thick, fragrant but insipid.

Nos. 124208 to 124212, *Kharbuza*. From Bhagalpur, Bihar, April 11, 1937.

124208. No. 2643. Fruit elongate, 15 inches long, compressed, 7 to 10 inches in diameter, smooth with traces of ribs, lemon yellow, scented; flesh 1¼ inches thick, salmon, juicy, insipid.

124209. No. 2644. Fruit 8 by 5 inches, heavily ribbed, smooth, pale yellow; flesh 1½ inches thick, salmon, dry, insipid.

124210. No. 2651. Fruit elongate, tapering to stem end, 12 by 8 inches, obscurely ribbed, yellow, nearly smooth; flesh firm, crisp, salmon, juicy, 2½ inches thick, with flavor like a raw potato.

124211. No. 2652. Fruit elongate, 10 by 8 inches, abruptly flattened at ends, deeply ribbed, smooth, lemon yellow, flesh 1½ inches thick, white, scented, rather dry, flavorless.

124212. No. 2653. Fruit subglobose, flattened at blossom end, tapering to stem end, 10 inches in diameter, heavily ribbed, slightly rusty, yellow with deep green rib lines; flesh fragrant, 2¼ inches thick, deep salmon, watery.

Nos. 124213 and 124214, *Kharbuza*. From Itarsi, Central Provinces, April 16, 1937.

124213. No. 2678. Fruit subglobose, 9 inches in diameter, flattened at the blossom end, faintly ribbed, heavily netted, with green rib lines, yellow blotched with russet brown; flesh 2 inches thick, acid, interesting.

124214. No. 2679. Fruit globose, 7 inches in diameter, lemon yellow, obscurely netted, broad rib lines of brownish yellow; flesh 2 inches thick, salmon, insipid.

124215. No. 2701. *Kharbuza*. From Ujjain, Gwalior State, April 18, 1937. A locally grown variety.

124216. No. 2684. *Kakri*. From Bhopal, Bhopal State, April 16, 1937. Fruit

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crook-necked, elongate, to 2 feet long, irregularly and closely ridged, pale green. A form now common on the market.

124217 to 124223. *CUCUMIS SATIVUS* L. Cucurbitaceae. Cucumber.

124217. No. 2636. *Kakri*. From Gaya, Bihar State, April 10, 1937. A hot-weather cucumber.

Nos. 124218 to 124221, *Kakri*. From Bhagalpur, Bihar State, April 11, 1937.

124218. No. 2649. A long variety, grown in the rains.

124219. No. 2650. A short variety, grown in the hot season before the monsoon. None on the market yet.

124220. No. 2654. A long variety.

124221. No. 2655. A short variety.

Nos. 124222 and 124223, *Khira*. From Ujjain, Gwalior State, April 18, 1937. The famous "rains" cucumber which is known throughout northern India for its fine quality.

124222. No. 2693. 124223. No. 2696.

124224 and 124225. *CUCURBITA MOSCHATA* Duchesne, Cucurbitaceae. Cuslaw. *Kumsa*. From Bhagalpur, Bihar, April 11, 1937.

124224. No. 2642. Fruit flattened, 14 by 8 inches, ribbed, creamy buff; flesh yellow, 2½ inches thick, moderately sweet and fine grained.

124225. No. 2645. Probably a mixture of elongate and flattened varieties.

124226 to 124228. *DAUCUS CAROTA* L. Apiaceae. Carrot.

124226. No. 2648. From Bhagalpur, Bihar State, April 11, 1937. A purple carrot; small, stubby, and irregular.

124227. No. 2690. From Bhopal, Bhopal State, April 16, 1937. A locally grown form, said to be orange.

124228. No. 2702. From Ujjain, Gwalior, April 18, 1937. A locally grown form, said to be yellow.

124229 to 124231. *DIOSEYROS* spp. Diospyraceae. Persimmon.

124229. *DIOSEYROS MONTANA* Roxb. Mountain persimmon.

No. 2634. *Makerken*. From Gaya, Bihar, April 10, 1937. A small bushy tree growing in dry places, with creamy flowers and orange fruits 1½ inches in diameter. Attractive.

124230. *DIOSEYROS* sp.

No. 2603. *Ghaf*. From Patna, Bihar, April 5, 1937. Fruit tomato-shaped, orange yellow, astringent, 2½ to 3 inches across.