

## 124398 to 124501—Continued.

- traces of darker green, fine rib lines; flesh red, good, crisp; seeds in large air pockets.
124414. No. 2759. *Tarbuza*. From Chitorgarh, Mewar State, April 23, 1937. Fruit globose, 14 inches in diameter, deep green, unmarked; rind  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches thick; flesh red, good texture, sweet; seeds in large air pockets.
124415. No. 2760. *Tarbuza*. From Chitorgarh, Mewar State, April 23, 1937. Fruit globose, 1 foot in diameter, light green with broad blotched stripes of darker green; rind  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches thick; flesh deep rose, sweet but slightly stringy.
124416. No. 2761. *Tarbuza*. From Udaipur, Mewar State, April 23, 1937. Fruit globose, 10 inches in diameter, deep green with clouding of paler green; rind  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches thick; flesh pink, fair texture, somewhat sweet.
- Nos. 124417 to 124420. From Ajmer, Rajputana State, April 24, 1937. *Tarbuza*.
124417. No. 2768. Fruit elongate, 15 inches long, deep green, unmarked.
124418. No. 2769. Fruit globose, 14 inches in diameter, medium green with narrow ribs and clouding of darker green; rind  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches thick; flesh deep rose, of good texture, rather sweet.
124419. No. 2774. A local mixture that may have something different.
124420. No. 2778. Fruit elongate, 18 by 12 inches, deep green with narrow rib lines and clouding of darker green; rind 1 inch thick; flesh solid, of good texture, deep rose, fairly sweet; many seeds undeveloped.
- Nos. 124421 and 124422. From Marwar Junction, Jodhpur State, April 25, 1937. *Tarbuza*.
124421. No. 2779. Fruit subglobose, 10 inches in diameter, greenish white with traces of narrow rib lines of darker green; flesh sweet, deep rose, fibrous; rind  $\frac{3}{4}$  of an inch thick.
124422. No. 2780. Fruit subglobose, 6 inches in diameter, greenish white with traces of narrow rib lines of darker green; flesh of good quality and sweet.
124423. No. 2818. From Hyderabad, Sind State, April 28, 1937. A local mixture.
124424. No. 2721. From Udaipur, Mewar State, April 20, 1937. The young fruits make a highly esteemed stewed vegetable.

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124425. *Cordia* sp. Boraginaceae.
- No. 2786. *Gundi*. From Jodhpur, Jodhpur State. A small tree or large shrub, growing in hot dry places. The fruits, about the size of cherries, are sweet, viscous, and slightly astringent and are in compound racemes.
- 124426 to 124451. *CUCUMIS MELLO* L. Cucurbitaceae. Muskmelon.
- Nos. 124426 and 124427, *Kharbuza*. From Ujjain, Gwalior State, April 18, 1937.
124428. No. 2692. Fruit fusiform, strongly tapered to the stem and with a huge navel at the blossom end, pale lemon yellow with rib lines of brownish yellow, 8 inches in diameter, and smooth; flesh white, very juicy with low sugar content.
124427. No. 2694. Fruit smooth, elongate, 10 by 6 inches, pale lemon yellow with traces of ribs, fragrant; flesh 2 inches thick, pale salmon, very juicy, no sugar.
- Nos. 124428 to 124430. From Rutlam, Rajputana State, April 18, 1937. *Kharbuza*.
124428. No. 2712. Fruit bottle-shaped, 8 inches long, with a trace of netting, lemon yellow with green rib lines; flesh salmon, rather insipid.
124429. No. 2713. Fruit flattened, 8 by 4 inches with a conspicuous navel, golden brown, more or less blotched with green, strongly netted, smooth green rib lines; flesh watery, slightly musky, salmon-colored, but no sugar.
124430. No. 2714. Fruit oval, 8 inches long, lemon yellow, faintly ribbed and rib lined green, obscurely netted; flesh salmon,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches thick, watery, rather insipid.
- Nos. 124431 and 124432, *Kharbuza*. From Jaora, Rajputana State, April 19, 1937.
124431. No. 2715. Fruit oval, 1 foot long, smooth, yellow; flesh salmon, rather insipid, juicy.
124432. No. 2716. Fruit subglobose, 8 inches in diameter, faintly ribbed and obscurely netted, blotched brown, gold, and green with green rib lines; flesh salmon, firm, rather insipid.
- Nos. 124433 to 124439, *Kharbuza*. From Udaipur, Mewar State, April 20 to 22, 1937.
124433. No. 2724. A miniature melon, which may be a local variety.
124434. No. 2726. Fruit elongate, 1 foot long, faintly ribbed, obscurely netted,