

124883 to 124887—Continued.

124883. *Allen*, Selection D. 31. From a northern province.

124884. *Allen*, Selection E. 31. From a northern province.

124885. Ordinary *Allen*, called "B, C, G, A." From a northern province.

124886. *Isham* "A." A selection of *Gossypium vitifolium*, from a southern province.

124887. *Meke*. A selection of *Gossypium peruvianum*, from a southern province.

124888. PASSIFLORA sp. Passifloraceae.

From Hawaii. Seeds presented by W. T. Pope, Senior Horticulturist, Hawaiian Agricultural Experiment Station, Honolulu. Received August 12, 1937.

124889 and 124890. GOSSYPIMUM. Malvaceae. Cotton.

From Brazil. Seeds presented by Prof. J. B. Griffing, Escola Superior de Agricultura, Viçosa, Minas Geraes. Received September 8, 1937.

124889. *Criolo*.

124890. *Rin de Boi*.

124891. ASTRELA PECTINATA (Lindl.) F. Muell. Poaceae. Mitchell grass.

From Australia. Seeds presented by Arthur Yates & Co., Ltd., Sydney, New South Wales. Received August 16, 1937.

An Australian grass that is said to be very valuable for its drought-resisting qualities, as well as being a valuable forage.

For previous introduction see 76604.

124892. SOLANUM MELONGENA L. Solanaceae. Eggplant.

From Puerto Rico. Seeds presented by Dr. Arthur Roque, geneticist, Puerto Rico Agricultural Experiment Station, Rio Piedras, through Victor R. Boswell, Bureau of Plant Industry, United States Department of Agriculture. Received September 3, 1937.

Puerto Rican Beauty. A round to oval, smooth, dark-purple fruit with no streaks. The plant is intermediate in height between *Black Beauty* and *Florida High Bush*, with a very strong stem.

124893. ZEPHYRANTHES CARINATA Herbert. Amaryllidaceae. Zephyrilly.

From Cuba. Seeds collected at the Atkins Institution of the Arnold Arboretum, Soledad, Cienfuegos, by T. A. Fennell, Bureau of Plant Industry, United States Department of Agriculture. Received in 1936.

Plants were grown at the United States Plant Introduction Garden, Coconut Grove, Fla. under P. I. G. No. 9291; numbered in September 1937. This is one of the showiest of the *Zephyranthes*, with beautiful rose-pink flowers about 3½ inches in diameter, borne singly on 10- to 12-inch scapes in the summer months. The leaves are long, linear, glossy green, persisting through the summer. Mature clumps flower freely throughout July and August and are among the most charming of the summer-flowering bulbs.

For previous introduction see 118823.

124894 to 124907. TRITICUM AESTIVUM L. Poaceae. Common wheat.

From Australia. Seeds presented by the New England Experiment Farm, Glenn Innes, at the request of Dr. H. Wenzholz, Director of Plant Breeding, Department of Agriculture, Sydney, New South Wales. Received September 14, 1937.

124894. (*Clarendon* × *Hope*) × *Dundee*, G-1-1-0.

124895. (*Clarendon* × *Hope*) × *Dundee*, G-8-1-0.

124896. (*Clarendon* × *Hope*) × *Bobin*, G-12-1-0.

124897. (*Federation* × *Hope*) × *Bobin*, G-13-1-0.

124898. (*Federation* × *Hope*) × *Bobin*, G-17-1-0.

124899. (*Federation* × *Hope*) × *Dundee*, E-29-G-1-1-0.

124900. (*Federation* × *Hope*) × *Dundee*, E-29-G-3-1-0.

124901. (*Federation* × *Hope*) × *Dundee*, E-33-G-2-1-0.

124902. (*Federation* × *Hope*) × *Dundee*, G-29-1-0.

124903. (*Federation* × *Hope*) × *Dundee*, E-23-91-1-0.

124904. (*Hope* × *Currawa*) × *Dundee*, G-319-30-1-0.

124905. (*Hope* × *Currawa*) × *Dundee*, G-319-30-1-1.

124906. (*Hope* × *Currawa*) × *Dundee*, G-19-30-6-0.

124907. (*Hope* × *Yandilla King*), C 2-G 1-5a-D 1-2-N 10-GO.

124908 and 124909. GOSSYPIMUM. Malvaceae. Cotton.

From French Equatorial Africa. Seeds presented by W. J. Lugard, Director, Grimari. Received September 15, 1937.

124908. *Lightning Express*. Still in the trial stage.

124909. *Triumph*. This variety was introduced into the Belgian Congo about 15 years ago under the name *Medane Triumph*. Imported into French Equatorial Africa about 10 years ago, it has undergone a natural selection and is now well acclimated in the southern part of their cotton belt.

124910 to 124922.

From Madagascar. Seeds presented by Dr. F. Boiteau, Director, Botanic Garden, Tananarive. Received September 1, 1937.

124910. *BEGONIA* sp. Begoniaceae.

124911. *BRYOPHYLLUM MINIATUM* (Hilsenb. and Boj.) Berger. Crassulaceae.

An erect slender fleshy plant 1 to 2 feet high, native to Madagascar. The smooth, green, oval, obtuse leaves are up to 3 inches long, with shallow, crenate, sinuous margins and slightly pink petioles. The bright-red, pendent flowers are in a lax terminal panicle.

For previous introduction see 101358.

124912. *BRYOPHYLLUM PROLIFERUM* Bowle. Crassulaceae.

A tall robust succulent, native to South Africa, with stems reaching a height of