

**132897. IPOMOEA ALBIVENTIA (Lindl.) Sweet. Convolvulaceae. Morning-glory.**

From Africa. Seeds collected by Dr. Thomas Barbour, Harvard University. Received September 24, 1934. Numbered in May 1939.

Collected on the beach north of Lourenço Marques, Mozambique. A perennial shrubby climber with large white flowers.

For previous introduction see 34168.

**132898. IRIS sp. Iridaceae.**

From Turkey. Roots presented by Dr. B. V. D. Post, of Roberts College, Istanbul, through H. L. Westover and F. L. Wellman, Bureau of Plant Industry, United States Department of Agriculture. Received May 19, 1936. Numbered in May 1939.

**132899. JOANNESIA PRINCEPS Vell. Euphorbiaceae.**

From Cuba. Seeds presented by F. G. Walsingham, Atkins Institution of the Arnold Arboretum, Soledad, Cienfuegos. Received September 17, 1935. Numbered in May 1939.

A large tropical tree with handsome evergreen 3- to 7-foliolate leaves about 4 inches long and coconutlike fruits about 5 inches in diameter with 4 large oily seeds. It is related to the tung-oil tree (*Aleurites fordii*). The oil belongs to the semi-drying class and has a laxative effect four times as great as that of castor oil, but has an agreeable odor and flavor.

For previous introduction see 123220.

**132900. LONCHOCARPUS sp. Fabaceae.**

From Ecuador. Cuttings collected by Mrs. Ynes Mexia. Received May 23, 1935. Numbered in May 1939.

**132901. NEOMARICA GRACILIS (Herb.) Sprague. Iridaceae.**

From Madagascar. Plants presented by Bargyla Rateaver, Fort Dauphin. Received September 18, 1935. Numbered in May 1939.

A tropical irislike Brazilian plant with 6 to 8 sword-shaped leaves over 1 foot long and several fugitive flowers about 2 inches across. The outer flower segments are obovate, white, with basal cross marks of yellow and brown, and the inner segments are small, reflexed, and blue.

**132902. LITCHI CHINENSIS Sonner. Sapindaceae. Litchi.**

From Florida. Seeds presented by P. W. Campbell, Estero, Lee County. Received June 30, 1933. Numbered in May 1939.

**132903. LOPHOPHORA WILLIAMSII (Lem.) Coult. Cactaceae. Peyote.**

From Texas. Presented by the Hyde Park Floral Co., Austin. Received June 21, 1939.

A small simple or proliferous, spineless, dull bluish-green cactus, globular or somewhat flattened on top, 2 to 3 inches across, with 7 to 13 broad, roundish ribs bearing few low tubercles and small pale-pink to white central flowers. Distributed from central Mexico to southern Texas. The dried tops of this cactus, known as "mescal buttons," are eaten by the Indians in the Southwest during religious rites and are highly narcotic.

**132904. MANGIFERA INDICA L. Anacardiaceae. Mango.**

From Jamaica, British West Indies. Seeds presented by the Director of Agriculture, Hope Gardens, Kingston. Received July 31, 1934. Numbered in June 1939.

**132905. ZAMIA PUMILA L. Cycadaceae.**

From Florida. Plant collected by Prof. R. N. Lobbell, Everglades Experiment Station, Belle Glade. Received September 23, 1934. Numbered in May 1939.