

22316. OPERCULINA TUBEROSA (L.) Meissn.

From Miami, Fla. Received through Mr. Ernst A. Bessey, pathologist in charge of Subtropical Laboratory and Garden, March 14, 1908.

"Grown from S. P. I. No. 17835. This is a large ornamental vine belonging to the morning glory family. It is a vigorous grower, producing plants sometimes 30 to 50 feet long. The stems are woody and often in two years reach a thickness of one's arm. The flowers are large, yellow in color, and borne with great profuseeness, making the plant very ornamental at the flowering period. It is grown to a limited extent around Miami and, if not already introduced there, may find favor in parts of California and other places where frost does not occur. This seed was obtained from a vine at the Subtropical Laboratory and Garden." (*Bessey*.)

22317 to 22322. GLYCINE HISPIDA (Moench) Maxim.**Soy bean.**

From Erfurt, Germany. Purchased from Haage & Schmidt. Received March 16, 1908.

22317. Probably *Butterball*.

22318. "*Giant Yellow*." Probably *Amherst*.

22319. Brown.

22320. *Samarov*. Like No. 17260.

22321. Probably *Cloud*.

22322. "*Early Black* from Podolia." Probably *Buckshot*.

22323 and 22324.

From Fort Sandeman, Baluchistan. Received from Lieut. Col. G. C. French, I. A., political agent in Zhob, through Prof. E. P. Stebbing, imperial forest zoologist to the Government of India, Calcutta, India, March 11, 1908.

22323. PISTACIA KHINJUK Stocks.

Pistache.

22324. OLEA FERRUGINEA Royle.

Olive.

"Tree 30 to 50 feet high. The wood is hard and is highly prized for turning and for agricultural implements. It takes a high polish. An oil is extracted from the fruit." (*Brandis, For. Fl. Ind.*, p. 307.)

22325 to 22332. ANDROPOGON SORGHUM (L.) Brot.**Durra.**

From Khartoum, Sudan, Africa. Presented by Mr. R. Hewison, agricultural inspector, agricultural and lands department, Sudan government, through Mr. C. V. Piper. Received March 16, 1908.

"Representative durras, or at least not kafirs; some may prove not to belong to the durra group as we understand it." (*C. R. Ball*.)

Seed of the following, with the localities in which they are commonly found. Varietal description, by Mr. C. R. Ball.

22325. *Kassabi*. Singa and Wad Medani, Blue Nile.

Probably identical with the "durra beda" of Egypt.

22326. *Hegari*. Singa and Wad Medani, Blue Nile.

22327. *Mugud*. Wad el Fahl, Blue Nile.

22328. *Feterita*. All over the durra area in the Sudan.

Seed is like No. 19517.

22329. *Fiki Mistahi*. Singa, Blue Nile.

22330. *Wad Akar*. Karkog, Blue Nile.

22331. *Nab el Tor*. Blue Nile.

22332. *Hameizi Asfar*. Singa, Blue Nile.

Seed is like Agros. No. 1456, *Hamaisec*, from the Sudan.