

134979 to 135021—Continued

135011. *PINANGA PHILIPPINENSIS* Beccari.

Palm.

No. 30. From the Mount Makiling National Park, Laguna, Luzon, October 29, 1939. A Philippine palm with smooth, slender, greenish stems up to 25 feet high, thin, ascending pinnate leaves 3 to 5 feet long, and pendulous panicles of red fruits. It grows in exposed forest ridges and ravines at altitudes of 2,000 to 5,000 feet.

135012. *PITHECELLOBIUM* sp. Mimosaceae.

No. 50. From Mount Makiling National Park, Laguna, Luzon, October 20, 1939. A small attractive tree growing in the open.

135013. *PITOSPORUM PENTANDRUM* (Blanco) Merr. Pittosporaceae.

No. 90. From Bongabong, Northern Ecija, Luzon, November 21, 1939. A tree sometimes 60 feet high, but sometimes shrubby, with small white fragrant flowers and handsome straplike leaves with wavy margins. The fruits are in showy clusters of pretty orange berries.

For previous introduction see 20492.

135014. *POTHODIUM LOBBIANUM* Schott. Araceae.135015. *RHIZOPHORA MUCRONATA* Lam. Rhizophoraceae.

No. 25. A large evergreen shrub or tree, with oblong-elliptic, shiny leaves up to 6 inches long, and clusters of 3 to 7 white to cream-colored flowers. It forms mangrove swamps on Old World tropical shores.

135016. *STRONGYLODON MACROBOTRYS* A. Gray. Fabaceae.

No. 26. *Tayabak*, or "jade vine." From the Mount Makiling National Park, Laguna, Luzon, October 27, 1939. A slender-stemmed vine that bears large hanging clusters of blue-green flowers, each 2 inches long.

135017. *TABERNAEMONTANA PANDUCAQUI* Poir. Apocynaceae.

No. 88. From the roadside between San Miguel de Mayuno and Cabanatuan, Luzon. A small shrub 3 to 12 feet high, with small glossy leaves and small jasmine-like flowers nearly an inch across. Native to New Guinea.

135018. *TERMINALIA NITENS* Presl. Combretaceae.

No. 42. From Mount Makiling National Park, Laguna, Luzon, November 5, 1939. A forest tree, native from the lower to the alpine forests in the Philippines. It is a good timber tree, and the bark is used as straw-colored dye.

For previous introduction see 100657.

135019. *TETRASTIGMA* sp. Vitaceae.

No. 10. Collected between Laguna and Infanta, Luzon. A vine with clusters of handsome pink fruits.

135020. *UVARIA SCANDENS* C. B. Robinson. Annonaceae.

No. 97. From near Bongabong, November 20, 1939.

135021. *VITEX PARVIFLORA* Juss. Verbenaceae.

No. 27. *Molave*. From Mount Makiling National Park, Laguna, Luzon, October 28, 1939. An important timber tree, with clusters of blue flowers; found growing near the coast in dry rocky soils.

For previous introduction see 101451.

135022. *LYCOPERSICON ESCULENTUM* Mill. Solanaceae. Tomato.

From Colombia. Seeds presented by Jaime Villegas D., California. Received January 22, 1940.

135023 and 135024.

From Manchuria. Bulbs presented by B. V. Skvortzov, Harbin. Received January 30, 1940.