

135550 to 135635—Continued

135616 to 135621. *PRUNUS* spp. Amygdalaceae.135616. *PRUNUS ARMENIACA* L.

Apricot.

No. 54. From the Ashiho region, north of Harbin, October 1939. A small-fruited form.

135617. *PRUNUS MAACKII* Rupr.

Amur cherry.

No. 56. From a forest near Hsiaoling, east of Harbin, September 19, 1939. A Manchurian bird cherry, 40 feet or more in height, with very smooth brownish-yellow bark that peels off like that of a birch. The leaves are pointed and very finely toothed, and the white flowers are in short racemes borne on the previous season's wood.

For previous introduction see 77262.

135618. *PRUNUS PADUS* L.

European bird cherry.

No. 58. From large trees near Hsiaoling, east of Harbin, September 19, 1939.

For previous introduction see 112284.

135619. *PRUNUS SALICINA* Lindl.

Japanese plum.

No. 60. From cultivated trees in a Chinese garden near Ashiho, September 15, 1939.

135620. *PRUNUS TOMENTOSA* Thunb.

Manchu cherry.

No. 57. From cultivated shrubs in a Chinese garden near Ashiho, east of Harbin, September 15, 1939. Tree small, attractive, with curly bark on trunk and branches; fruit very pale pink, edible.

For previous introduction see 122194.

135621. *PRUNUS USSURIENSIS* Kovalev and Kostina.

No. 59. From near Hsiaoling, east of Harbin, September 18, 1939.

For previous introduction see 135507.

135622. *SCABIOSA FISCHERI* DC. Dipsacaceae.

No. 91. From the desert steppe region of Anda, September 19, 1939. A much-branched perennial scabiosa with pinnate leaves cut into linear, entire segments and bluish-purple flowers in showy heads. Native to eastern Asia.

135623. *SCILLA THUNBERGII* Miyabe and Kudo. (*S. japonica* Baker). Liliaceae.

No. 78. From the desert steppe district of Sartu, west of Harbin, September 1939. A scilla with 2 or 3 fleshy leaves 6 to 12 inches long and 1 to 3 erect scapes with many small rose-purple flowers borne in racemes. Native to Japan.

For previous introduction see 135024.

135624. *GLYCINE MAX* (L.) Merr.

Soybean.

No. 67. From the Sungari River valley, near Harbin, October 21, 1939.

135625. *SORBARIA SORBIFOLIA* (L.) A. Br. Rosaceae.

No. 69. From the mountains near Maoershan, east of Harbin, October 11, 1939.

For previous introduction see 122966.

135626. *SPODIOPOGON SIBIRICUS* Trin. Poaceae.

Grass.

No. 62. From the steppe region of Anda, west of Harbin, September 10, 1939.

For previous introduction see 90274.

135627. *STIPA BAIACALENSIS* Roshev. Poaceae.

Grass.

No. 14. From the desert district of Anda, west of Harbin, September 1939.

135628 and 135629. *STIPA SIBIRICA* (L.) Lam.

135628. No. 17. From the mountain forests near Hsiaoling, October 21, 1939.

135629. No. 16. From the steppe region of Sartu, October 20, 1939.

For previous introduction see 113254.