

140904 to 140947—Continued

140928. *DIANTHUS* sp. Silenaceae.

No. 6498. From Kataliyekchinar, Khorassan, August 6, 1940. A steppe annual about 18 inches high, with a single flower head.

140929. *DAUCUS* sp. Apiaceae.

No. 6043. From Gaomir, Bakhtiari, May 16, 1940. A common steppe annual about 3 feet high, with white flowers.

140930. *EREMURUS* sp. Liliaceae.

No. 6148. From Tehran, June 14, 1940. Plant 4 feet high, with 2½ foot spike of whitish flowers.

140931. *EPHEDRA* sp. Gnetaceae.

No. 6470. From Kataliyekchinar, Khorassan, August 4, 1940. A dense shrub about 3 feet high, with lovely cerise fruits.

140932. *HYPERICUM* sp. Hypericaceae.

No. 6374. From Khairat, Mazenderan, July 26, 1940. An open bush about 3 feet high, with large, black fruits.

140933. *IPOMOEA* sp. Convolvulaceae.

No. 6362. From Khairat, Mazenderan, July 26, 1940. A vine growing in thickets, with large, single white nocturnal flowers 2 inches across.

140934. *JUNIPERUS* sp. Pinaceae.

No. 6678. From Bardu Forest, Khorassan, August 18, 1940. A handsome, dense tree 20 feet high, with a trunk 6 feet in diameter and gnarled twisted limbs that stand heavy pruning.

140935. *ALTHAEA ROSEA* (L.) Cav. Malvaceae.

Hollyhock.

No. 5940. From Ahwaz, Khuzistan, April 22, 1940. A bushy plant about 7 feet high, palmately lobed leaves, and single to semidouble pink flowers.

140936. *LITHOSPERMUM* sp. Boraginaceae.

No. 5961. From Saridasht, Bakhtiari, April 26, 1940. A perennial, with large rose-purple flowers, growing on rocks in low, well-rounded clumps.

140937. *LYCHNIS CORONARIA* (L.) Desr. Silenaceae.

No. 6496. Collected on the Steppe of Iran. A mullein pink about 3 feet high, with rose flowers.

140938. *PAPAVER* sp. Papaveraceae.

No. 6114. From Durud, Luristan, June 6, 1940. A perennial about 18 inches high, with large single burnt-orange flowers 2½ inches across.

140939. *PARROTIA* sp. Hamamelidaceae.

No. 7264. From Gurgan, October 1, 1940. A smooth-barked tree about 2 feet in diameter, with red leaves in the fall.

140940. *PETROSELINUM CRISPUM* (Mill.) Nym. (*P. hortense* Hoffmann). Apiaceae.
Parsley.

No. 6915. *Jafri*. From Tabas, Khorassan, September 8, 1940.

140941. *PETROSELINUM CRISPUM* (Mill.) Nym. (*P. hortense* Hoffmann).

No. 7259. *Jafri*. From Shahrud, Khorassan, September 27, 1940.

140942. *PLANTAGO* sp. Plantaginaceae.

No. 5908. From Ahwaz, Khuzistan, April 20, 1940. A dense plant growing about 8 inches high; much relished by goats.

140943. *PLATANUS* sp. Platanaceae.

No. 6881. From Khaur, Khorassan, September 6, 1940. A cultivated, handsome tree, with a trunk about 6 feet in diameter.