

146852 to 146867—Continued

146866. *SMILAX* sp.

From Obidos, August 31, 1943.

146867. (Undetermined.)

From Peru.

146868 to 146871.

From Mexico. Plants presented by Dr. Robert T. Clausen, Office of Foreign Agricultural Relations, Mexico City. Received September 15, 1943.

146868. *SEDUM CONZATTII* Rose. Crassulaceae.

No. 6080. A more or less shrubby sedum 12 or 15 inches high, with alternate, spatulate, rather thin leaves 1 inch long, and small, white or purplish flowers in short cymes. Native to Mexico.

146869. *SEDUM NAPIFERUM* Peyr.

No. 6020. A succulent annual 1 to 3 inches high, with subterete, very small leaves $\frac{1}{2}$ inch long, and cymes of small rosy flowers. Native to Mexico.

146870. *SEDUM HEMSLEANUM* Rose.

No. 6071. A fleshy perennial 4 to 12 inches high, with oblong spatulate leaves up to 1 inch long, and white flowers, $\frac{1}{4}$ inch across, in an elongated panicle. Native to Mexico.

146871. *VILLADIA RAMOSISSIMA* Rose. Crassulaceae.

No. 6073. A shrubby, much-branched villadia, native to limestone hills in Puebla, Mexico. The reddish branches become spreading with age, and the rigid oblong leaves are nearly terete. The small flowers, about $\frac{1}{3}$ inch across and white with a pinkish tinge, are in loose leafy cymes.

For previous introduction see 7390.

146872 to 146874.

From Brazil. Tubers presented by J. T. Baldwin, Jr., Para. Received September 15, 1943.

146872. *DIOSCOREA* sp. Dioscoreaceae.*Batata*. Purple-fleshed variety from Oriximina, August 25, 1943.146873. *DIOSCOREA ALATA* L.*Batata*. White-and-pink-fleshed varieties from Obidos, August 31, 1943.146874. *DIOSCOREA TRIFIDA* L.f.

A wild yam native to northern Brazil, with small, edible tubers, winged or angled stems, and leaves 3- to 5-lobed.

146875. *PENNISETUM CILIARE* (L.) Link (*P. cenchroides* Rich.).
Poaceae. Grass.

From the Union of South Africa. Seeds presented by M. Wilman, McGregor Museum, Kimberley. Received September 1, 1943.

A very hardy type of grass that stands winter rains and frost unusually well.

For previous introduction see 146268.

146876 to 146892. *SORGHUM VULGARE* var. *SACCHARATUM* (L.)
Boerl. Poaceae. Sweet sorghum.

From the Union of South Africa. Seeds presented by H. H. Dodds, South African Sugar Association Experiment Station, Mount Edgecombe, Natal. Received September 1, 1943.

146876. *Blanc*. From the Belgian Congo.