

**240524 to 240531—Continued****240530.** *CYPERUS ALTERNIFOLIUS* L. Cyperaceae.

Col. No. 4020. 'Variegatus'. Botanical Garden, University of Florence. Leaves and culms striped white; variegation appears when potbound.

**240531.** *PANDANUS HUMILIS* Rumph. Pandanaceae. **Screwpine.**

Col. No. 4018. Botanical Garden, University of Florence. Much-branched, small evergreen tree; leaves mostly at top of stems; fruits long, pedunculate.

**240532 and 240533.** *CITRULLUS VULGARIS* Schrad. Cucurbitaceae.  
**Watermelon.**

From Iran. Seeds presented by the American Presbyterian Mission, Hamadan. Received June 5, 1957.

Grown in the Hamadan Area.

**240532.** Seeds black. Melon egg-shaped, striped; meat pink.**240533.** Seeds brown.**240534 to 240541.**

From Italy. Collected by F. G. Meyer, agricultural explorer, Plant Introduction Section, Crops Research Division, Beltsville, Md. Received June 5, 1957.

Botanical Garden, University of Florence. May 29 to 31, 1957.

**240534.** *SEVERINIA BUXIFOLIA* (Poir.) Ten. Rutaceae.

Col. No. 4040. Small evergreen, spiny tree; leaves boxwoodlike. (Cuttings).

**240535.** *PENTARHAPHIA CRANIOLARIA* (Mart.) Decne. Gesneriaceae.

Col. No. 4045. Shrub to 4 feet high; flowers greenish-yellow, black dotted. (Cuttings.)

**240536.** *CYANOTIS KEWENSIS* C. B. Clarke Commelinaceae.

Col. No. 4041. Creeping perennial; branches pendulous, to 10 inches long; leaves to 2 inches long, hairy, green above, red beneath; flowers rose-purple, filaments bearded with blue hairs. Ornamental species. (Cuttings.)

**240537.** *DIEFFENBACHIA PICTA* var. *BARAQUINIANA* (Verschf. & Lem.) Engl. Araceae.

Col. No. 4033. Leaves green, occasionally mottled-white, petioles and mid-veins pure white. (Plant.)

**240538.** *CHAMAERANTHEMUM BEYRICHI* Hook. Acanthaceae.

Col. No. 4037. Rhizomatous, creeping perennial; leaves mottled; veins light colored. (Cuttings.)

**240539.** *CITRUS AURANTIUM* L. Rutaceae. **Sour orange.**

Col. No. 4043. 'Myrtifolia'. Large evergreen shrub; leaves long, closely beset, glossy green above. (Cuttings.)

**240540.** *SCIADOPHYLLUM* sp. Araliaceae.

Col. No. 4042. Small evergreen tree; leaves digitately compound, lustrous above. (Cuttings.)

**240541.** *STRANVAESIA NUSSIA* (Buch.-Ham.) Dene. Malaceae.

Col. No. 4044. Small evergreen tree.

**240542 to 240591.**

From Australia. Seeds presented by the Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organization, Canberra. Received June 5, 1957.

Localities given are Australian sources.

**240542 to 240584.** *ARACHIS HYPOGAEA* L. Fabaceae. **Peanut.****240542.** C.P.I. 10496. Type No. 3. Argentina.