

274898 to 274901.

From the Netherlands. Seeds presented by the Hortus Botanicus Universitatis, Nijmegen. Received May 24, 1961.

274898. *LACTUCA AUGUSTANA* All. Cichoriaceae.

No. 172.

274899. *LACTUCA SALIGNA* L.

No. 173.

274900. *LACTUCA SATIVA* L.

No. 174.

274901. *LACTUCA VIROSA* L.

No. 175.

274902. CUCUMIS SATIVUS L. Cucurbitaceae. Cucumber.

From Great Britain. Seeds presented by Watkins & Simpson, Crawley, Sussex, England. Received May 24, 1961.

'Everyday'.

274903 and 274904.

From Germany. Seeds presented by the Botanic Garden, Bremen. Received May 24, 1961.

274903. *ALOPECURUS ARUNDINACEUS* Poir. Poaceae.

274904. *ALOPECURUS PRATENSIS* L. Meadow foxtail.

274905. *COLOCASIA ESCULENTA* (L.) Schott Araceae. Dasheen.

From New Britain. Seeds presented by the Department of Agriculture, Lowlands Agricultural Experiment Station, Kerevat. Numbered May 25, 1961.

274906. TRIFOLIUM REPENS L. Fabaceae. Whiteclover.

From Ecuador. Seeds presented by the United States Operations Mission, Quito. Received May 25, 1961.

Plant prostrate, growing in semidesert conditions, without rain for seven consecutive months, with hot dry winds. Elevation 9,000 feet, yet warm enough to grow corn. Soil pH 5.0, phosphate deficient. All cultivated crops are irrigated.

274907 to 274914.

From Turkey. Seeds collected by the Faculty of Agriculture, University of Ankara, Ankara. Received May 25, 1961.

274907. *ALLIUM ROTUNDUM* L. Liliaceae.

274908. *ATROPIS DISTANS* Griseb. Poaceae.

274909. *DAUCUS* sp. Apiaceae.

274910. *HORDEUM BULBOSUM* L. Poaceae.

274911. *POA NEMORALIS* L. Poaceae. Wood bluegrass.

274912. *SECALE MONTANUM* Guss. Poaceae.

274913. *ECHINOCHLOA CRUSGALLI* (L.) Beauv. Poaceae.

274914. *TRIFOLIUM PURPUREUM* Loisel. Fabaceae.

274915 to 274944.

From Australia. Seeds presented by the Botanic Garden, Adelaide. Received May 25, 1961.

274915. *ACACIA CALAMIFOLIA* Sweet Mimosaceae.

Bushy shrub to eight feet high, useful as shelter. Annual rainfall 10 inches.