

**25466**—Continued.

“A rather promising and prolific wild red raspberry. It was in fully ripe fruit March 1 and found at 3,700 feet altitude on dry, rocky, sterile ridges. Should prove hardy. A little dry (not offensively so) and quite as showy as the best garden *Cuthbert I* ever recall seeing.” (*Lyon.*)

**25467.** *SOLANUM ZUCCAGNIANUM* Dunal.

Grown at Miami, Fla., by Mr. P. J. Wester, in charge, Subtropical Garden. Numbered for convenience in recording distribution, May 8, 1909.

An herbaceous plant, growing about 2 feet high, with smooth, ovate, wavy-margined leaves on long petioles. The flowers are white, borne in clusters of 1 to 3 or more, on short, drooping stems. The fruit is round, about  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch in diameter, roughened and furrowed, becoming red when ripe.

**25468.** *GLYCINE HISPIDA* (Moench) Maxim.**Soy bean.**

From Madison, Wis. Purchased from the L. L. Olds Seed Company. Received May 8, 1909.

*Wisconsin Black.* “This variety has proved to be one of the earliest growing in Wisconsin, but gives a relatively poor yield of seed and forage. While the records are somewhat incomplete, it is almost certainly the direct descendent of S. P. I. No. 5039.” (*C. V. Piper.*)

**25469.** *ORYZA SATIVA* L.**Rice.**

From Canton, China. Presented by Mr. Leo Bergholz, American consul-general, at the request of Mr. Amos P. Wilder, American consul-general, Hongkong, China. Received May 8, 1909.

*Szemin.* “This is absolutely the best rice grown within this province.” (*Bergholz.*)

**25470 to 25504.**

From Chile. Received through Mr. José D. Husbands, Limávida, Chile, April 27, 1909.

Seed of each of the following. Quoted notes by Mr. Husbands.

**25470.** *LAPAGERIA ROSEA* R. & P.

“*Coigüe.* A comestible fruit and handsome evergreen vine, very like *Copique*; strange flowers, medicinal; thrives in the shade on damp soil.”

*Distribution.*—An evergreen vine, found climbing over trees and shrubs in the woods about Concepción and in the valley of the Rio Itata, in Chile.

**25471.** *ACAENA* sp.

“*Cadillo.*”

**25472.** *RUMEX ROMASSA* Reimy.

“A pest plant that will grow dry anywhere; the leaves are eaten like spinach; animals eat the leaves of this class from the south of Puerto Montt. Might serve to start vegetation in some barren place. Medicinal.”

*Distribution.*—An herbaceous plant, found growing around the villages and along the roadsides in the provinces of Chiloé and Valdivia, in Chile.

**25473.** *GREIGIA LANDBECKI* (Lechl.) Philippi.

“*Chuponos* from Chiloé.”

*Distribution.*—A native of the mountainous coast of Chile, in the province of Valdivia.