

- 1161. PHASEOLUS MUNGO.** **Green gram.**
 From Kuldja, China. Received through Prof. N. E. Hansen, June 4, 1898. (16 packages.)
 Variety "*subtrilobata*." First soaked in warm water for one day, then soaked in cold water six days, the water being changed twice a day. In a wooden vessel in a warm room it germinates several inches, and these sprouts are then used as a salad. This is the process as noted in a Chinese mill, where the seed was obtained, by the aid of two interpreters. (*Professor Hansen's notes.*)
- 1162. TRITICUM VULGARE.** **Wheat.**
 From Kuldja, China. Received through Prof. N. E. Hansen, June 4, 1898. (21 packages.)
 From the mountains; not irrigated. Obtained in the same Chinese mill as No. 1161.
- 1163. TRITICUM VULGARE.** **Wheat.**
 From Kuldja, China. Received through Prof. N. E. Hansen, June 4, 1898. (17 packages.)
 Spring variety; irrigated. Obtained same place as No. 1161.
- 1164. ZIZYPHIUS SATIVA (?)** **Jujube.**
 From Kuldja, China. Received through Prof. N. E. Hansen, June 4, 1898. (6 packages.)
 According to Mr. Okohira, of the Japanese Legation, this is used extensively in North China as a medicine, especially as a base for cough sirups, and also for food as an inferior date. The Chinese name is "Tsao-tze," and it is frequently called the Chinese date.
- 1165. PHASEOLUS.** **Bean.**
 From Kuldja, China. Received through Prof. N. E. Hansen, June 4, 1898. (6 packages.)
 "Hwang-tow" (yellow bean). From this is made a bean cheese, which is cut in slices and roasted with meat. Obtained in the same place as No. 1161. A mineral from the mountains, which has not yet been analyzed, was used in the manufacture. Also extensively used in Japan, where it is cooked with soja beans, according to Mr. Okohira.
- 1166. PISUM.** **Pea.**
 From Kuldja, China. Received through Prof. N. E. Hansen, June 4, 1898. (2 packages.)
 The peas are ground into flour for macaroni, as per sample 1167. Obtained in the same Chinese mill as No. 1161. The process of manufacture was noted, but it was all by cheap labor.
- 1167. PISUM.** **Pea.**
 From Kuldja, China. Received through Prof. N. E. Hansen, June 4, 1898. (2 packages.)
 Flour for pea macaroni. (See No. 1166.)
- 1168. PISUM.** **Pea.**
 From Kuldja, China. Received through Prof. N. E. Hansen, June 4, 1898. (12 packages.)
 Macaroni is made from the peas. Obtained in the same Chinese mill as No. 1161.
- 1169. MEDICAGO SATIVA.** **Turkestan alfalfa.**
 From Merke, northern Turkestan. Received through Prof. N. E. Hansen, June 4, 1898. (40 packages.)
 Variety "*turkestanica*." (See No. 1159.)