

**1687. FONTANESIA PHILLYRAEOIDES.**

From France. Received through Mr. W. T. Swingle, December, 1898. (5 packages.)

A Syrian shrub 2 to 3 m. (6 to 9 feet) high; half hardy; flowers in spring.

**1688. RUSCUS HYPOPHYLLUM.**

From France. Received through Mr. W. T. Swingle, December, 1898. (2 packages.)

An Italian shrub 65 cm. (26 inches) high; evergreen; tender; good for borders.

**1689. FRAXINUS OXYPHYLLA.****Ash.**

From France. Received through Mr. W. T. Swingle, December, 1898. (5 packages.)

Mediterranean species; somewhat tender.

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Probably *Fraxinus xanthoxyloides*. Somewhat tender.

**1691. CERCIS SILIQUASTRUM.****Judas tree.**

From France. Received through Mr. W. T. Swingle, December, 1898. (2 packages.)

Native of south Europe; half-hardy shrub 3 m. (6 feet) high; valuable for growing on walls which face the south; both flowers and foliage beautiful.

**1692. CERCIS SILIQUASTRUM.****Judas tree.**

From France. Received through Mr. W. T. Swingle, December, 1898. (2 packages.)

Variety "*flore albo*" (white-flowered).

**1693. CERCIS SILIQUASTRUM.****Judas tree.**

From France. Received through Mr. W. T. Swingle, December, 1898. (2 packages.)

Variety "*flore carneo*" (with flesh-colored flowers).

**1694. VITEX.**

From France. Received through Mr. W. T. Swingle, December, 1898. (2 packages.)

Probably *Vitex negundo*. A small tender shrub originally from China.

**1695. JUNIPERUS MACROCARPA.****Juniper.**

From France. Received through Mr. W. T. Swingle, December, 1898. (25 packages.)

Grown in the sandy soils of southern Europe; half hardy.

**1696. JUNIPERUS LYCIA.****Juniper.**

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**1697. JUNIPERUS SABINA.****Juniper.**

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Form called *Juniperus tamariscifolia*.