

25799 to 25802.

From Saigon, Cochin China. Presented by Mr. Jacob E. Conner, American consul. Received July 30, 1909.

Seeds of the following:

25799. CANANGA ODORATA (Lam.) Hook. f. & Thom. **Ilang ilang.**

See S. P. I. No. 22744 for description.

Distribution.—A native of Java and the Philippine Islands, and cultivated in India and other tropical countries.

25800. CRINUM ASIATICUM L.

"I consider this one of the most ornamental plants I know for a lawn or a large jardinière." (Conner.)

Distribution.—Native and cultivated throughout tropical India and Ceylon.

25801. DIPTEROCARPUS DYERI Pierre.

"*Dau song nang.*"

Distribution.—A large tree of the valley of the Donnai River, in the region around Saigon, Cochin China.

25802. DIPTEROCARPUS PUNCTULATUS Pierre.

"*Dau do.*"

Distribution.—Same as No. 25801.

25803. CAESALPINIA NUGA (L.) Ait.

From Luzon, Philippine Islands. Presented by Mr. William S. Lyon, Manila, P. I. Received July 30, 1909.

"A very attractive and sweet-scented, flowered, scandent shrub." (Lyon.) See S. P. I. No. 20944 for previous introduction and description.

Distribution.—A native of the southern part of Asia, and extending through the Malay Archipelago and Polynesian Islands to Australia.

25804 to 25807. MEDICAGO SATIVA L. **Alfalfa.**

From Mitchell, S. Dak. Presented by Prof. W. A. Wheeler, through Mr. Charles J. Brand. Received July 31, 1909.

Seeds of the following:

25804. "(South Dakota No. 162.) *Grimm* alfalfa, crop of 1908. Originally grown at Kùlsheim, near Tauberbischofsheim, Baden, Germany. (See S. P. I. No. 24767.) Brought to Carver County, Minn., in 1857, and grown there since 1858. Present sample grown at Mitchell, S. Dak., in 1908, from seed secured in Carver County, Minn., in 1904, and grown at Highmore, S. Dak., 1905 to 1906. Highmore seed taken to Mitchell, S. Dak., in 1907, where it has since been grown. The 1907 crop of this same strain, grown at Mitchell, S. Dak., is under experiment under P. L. H. Nos. 3329 and 3331." (Brand.)

25805. "(South Dakota No. 164.) Acclimatized *Turkestan* alfalfa, crop of 1908. Originally imported from Tashkent, Turkestan, in 1898, under S. P. I. No. 991. Grown at Brookings, S. Dak., from 1898 to 1904. Brookings seed taken to Highmore, S. Dak., and grown there from 1905 to 1906. Highmore seed taken to Mitchell, S. Dak., and grown there since 1907. The 1907 crop of this number is under experiment under P. L. H. No. 3330." (Brand.)