

32175 to 32245—Continued.**32244. CITRULLUS VULGARIS Schrad. Watermelon.**

From Ust Kamenogorsk, southwestern Siberia.

“(No. 1702a, September 30, 1911.) A watermelon of medium size; rind dark green, quite thin; flesh pale red, of fresh sweet taste; seeds brown. Keeps well and is a good variety in general. Of value possibly in extending the watermelon belt farther north.” (*Meyer.*)

32245. CITRULLUS VULGARIS Schrad. Watermelon.

From Ust Kamenogorsk, Siberia.

“(No. 1703a, October 1, 1911.) A watermelon of medium size; rind light green, very thin; flesh dark red and very sweet; seeds very small, of brownish black color. Is a good keeper. To be tested like the preceding number.” (*Meyer.*)

32247. GOSSYPIUM sp. Cotton.

From Addis Abeba, Abyssinia. Presented by Mr. Guy R. Love, American vice consul general, Addis Abeba. Received November 23, 1911.

“Native Abyssinian cotton.” (*Love.*)

32248. ANNONA MURICATA L. Soursop.

From Camaguey, Cuba. Presented by Mr. Roberto L. Luáces. Received December 5, 1911.

“I have found here in this part of Cuba two trees of *Annona muricata*, growing in primitive woods on the banks of the Caunao River. From fruit of these trees I collected some seed. These seeds are not from cultivated plants escaped from cultivation, for, in the first place, the general mode of carriage of seeds from cultivation to wildness, such as birds, is wanting in this case, for neither birds nor beasts (except man) will eat the *A. muricata*, and, besides, the tree itself and its fruits are very different from what we call the cultivated.” (*Luáces.*)

32249 to 32255. CITRUS TRIFOLIATA × AURANTIUM. Citrange.

The following plants, propagated by Mr. G. L. Taber, Glen St. Mary Nursery Co., Glen St. Mary, Fla., for distribution by the Office of Crop Physiology and Breeding Investigations, were numbered December 7, 1911.

Seedling plants as follows:

32249. *Willits.* See No. 13003 for description.

32250. *Rustic.* See No. 19608 for description.

32251. *Savage.* See No. 21594 for description.

32252. *Norton.* “Fruits small and somewhat ribbed, resembling the *Savage* (No. 21594).” (*S. C. Mason.*)

32253. *Saunders.* “Fruits small, orange yellow, with unusually thick skin. Pulp vesicles rather large, adhering compactly, making the interior of the fruit seem hard and dry as compared to the other citranges. What juice there is is sharply acid and entirely free from the bitter taste so prominent in some of the citranges.” (*S. C. Mason.*)

Grafted plants as follows:

32254. *Cunningham.* “Resembles a miniature *Colman* (No. 19609), having the same fuzzy skin possessed by that citrange.” (*S. C. Mason.*)

32255. *Sanford.*