

32429 to 32455—Continued.

to this effect in Markham's Travels in India and Peru.) It is probable that all the cherimoyas in India are the progeny of this stock. Mr. George Oakes, who presented the seed, says that it comes absolutely true."

32455. *TRICHOLAENA ROSEA* Nees.

Natal grass.

From Poona.

"(No. 167.) Purchased from the Empress Botanic Gardens, Poona. In India this is cultivated only as an ornamental."

32457 and 32458. *PRUNUS* spp.

Seeds of the following, collected by Mr. W. F. Wight, of this Department, turned over to the Office of Foreign Seed and Plant Introduction January 9, 1912.

32457. *PRUNUS* sp.

Collected in Montmorency County, Mich. To be used for breeding purposes.

32458. *PRUNUS MEXICANA* S. Watson.

Plum.

Collected near Denison, Tex.

Distribution.—From western Tennessee southeastward to the vicinity of San Antonio, Tex.

32459. *MACHILUS NANMU* (Oliv.) Hemsl.

Nanmu.

From Tangho, Chiangchin, China. Presented by Mr. Albert W. Pontius, American consul, Chungking, China. Received January 19, 1912.

See Nos. 28128, 29485, and 30039 for previous introductions.

Seeds.

32460. *CITRUS LIMETTA* Risso.

Lime.

From Honolulu, Hawaii. Presented by Mr. J. E. Higgins, horticulturist, Hawaii Agricultural Experiment Station. Received January 19, 1912.

Cuttings.

Kusaie.

"This variety was introduced into Hawaii about 20 years ago from the island of the same name in the South Seas. It has proved to be a very good fruit-bearing tree, quite as healthy and vigorous as any of our limes, bearing fruit at almost all seasons of the year. The fruit is of medium to large size. The rind is rather thin and tender, which might bar this variety for commercial use. It is, however, an ideal lime for the family fruit garden." (*Higgins.*)

32461 and 32462. *EUCALYPTUS* spp.

From Sydney, New South Wales. Presented by Mr. R. T. Baker, curator, Technological Museum. Received January 20, 1912.

Seeds of the following; quoted notes taken from Baker and Smith, *Eucalypts and Their Essential Oils*, 1902. See this work for further description.

32461. *EUCALYPTUS SMITHII* R. T. Baker.

Gully-ash.

"A tall, quick-growing tree, sometimes attaining a height of 150 feet and a diameter of from 2 to 5 feet. Bark on old trees deeply furrowed, and in color dark gray to blackish up to the branches. It is famous for its eucalyptol oil."

Distribution.—A tree often 200 feet tall, found on steep mountain slopes in the southeastern part of New South Wales, Australia.