

## 33800 to 33911—Continued.

## 33819 to 33822—Continued.

**33820.** "(No. 661.) This may be called the dwarf variety. The plants grow from 6 to 15 inches high, flowers the same kind and size as No. 660 (S. P. I. No. 33819), but somewhat less in number and of different colors."

**33821.** "(No. 876.) *Linto*. A different strain from Nos. 660 and 661 (S. P. I. Nos. 33819 and 33820). The tubers of all *Linto* are very valuable for making the famous Chuno or arrowroot, a valuable food for infants, the sick, and convalescing. It is an especially good food for sufferers with inflammation of the stomach or digestive canals."

**33822.** "(No. 1136.) *Linto*. From the seacoast near Illoca, province of Curico. Bears a pale-lemon and dark-yellow flower; extra handsome."

**33823.** SCHINUS HUIGAN Molina.

(*Schinus dependens* Ortega.)

"(No. 705.) A treelet actually black with seed fruit; ornamental."

See No. 25798 for previous introduction.

**33824 to 33827.** CEREUS QUISCO Gay.

**Quisco.**

**33824.** "(No. 1073.) A tiny, round, dwarf variety about 2 inches in diameter, round as a ball; bears large crimson flowers and small fruit. Comes from the seacoast."

**33825.** "(No. 1074.) From inland central Chile, near the river Mataquito. A very tall variety with few stalks that grow perfectly straight. Bears an immense semidouble, white, fragrant flower. Fruit, edible."

**33826.** "(No. 1075.) From Cordillera Maritima, central Chile. A fruiting class with large pink flowers."

**33827.** "(No. 1076.) From the 'Quebrada de los Perros' (Ravine of the Dogs), central Chile."

**33828.** MAIHUENIA PÖEPPIGII (Otto) Philippi.

**Maihuen.**

(*Pereskia poeppigii* Salm-Dyck.)

"(No. 986.) '*Maihuen*,' '*Herba del Gunaco*.' From the Volcans Antuco."

**33829 to 33832.** CEREUS QUISCO Gay.

**Quisco.**

"Different dwarf classes which grow in the crevices of the rocks in the summits of hills and mountains below the snow line. Have pink, red, and crimson flowers. Pot-bellied, melon shaped."

**33829.** "(No. 656.) Echinocactus. Dwarf, melon-shaped. Dark pink flowers."

**33830.** "(No. 657.) Echinocactus. Dwarf; crimson-flowered paula. Like a pot-bellied melon."

**33831.** "(No. 658.) Dwarf. Flowers not seen. May be mixed."

**33832.** "(No. 659.) Dwarf quisco. An extra-rare variety with beautiful cream-colored flowers with pink tips."

**33833.** ACACIA CAVENIA (Mol.) Bert.

**"Espino."**

"(No. 1011.) From the 'Quebrada de los Perros' (Ravine of the Dogs). This tree has a compact growth, with no part of the limbs naked of foliage. The spines are shorter and more generally distributed. When green they are not soft like some, but as sharp and hard as steel. Getting these seeds with care, I cut my hands in many places. This also has somewhat less growth than others.