

48753 to 48797—Continued.

48780. "(No. 96. Kimberley, Cape Province. September 27, 1919.) *Sugar beans* or *butter beans*, grown in the Cape region and sold throughout Cape Province. One of the most common beans for human consumption."

48781 to 48783. *PISUM SATIVUM* L. Fabaceæ. Garden pea.

"(Nos. 98 to 100. Kimberley, Cape Province. September 27, 1919.) Peas in bulk from the market, probably all grown at Cape of Good Hope and in the Cape district. These are all in the trade, and apparently they are staple food varieties."

48781. "(No. 98.) Very badly mixed."

48782. "(No. 99.) Looks like a field pea."

48783. "(No. 100.) Probably *Stratagem*."

48784. *SALVIA CLANDISTINA ANGUSTIFOLIA* Benth. Menthaceæ.

"(No. 93. Kimberley, Cape Province. September 26, 1919.) A small sage which is a biennial with very fragrant foliage. I have not seen it in flower."

48785. *SECALE CEREALE* L. Poaceæ. Rye.

"(No. 101. Kimberley, Cape Province. September 27, 1919.) This seems to be a winter rye grown in Orange Free State, near Kimberley. These seeds were obtained from the market."

48786. *STRYCHNOS PUNGENS* Solereder. Loganiaceæ.

"(No. 149. East of Pretoria. October 12, 1919.) The *Kafir orange*. A small tree bearing a large pummelolike fruit with large, pulp-covered seeds."

For previous introduction, see S. P. I. No. 34712.

48787. *THEMEDA TRIANDRA* Forsk. Poaceæ. Grass.

"(No. 87. Kimberley, Cape Province. September 21, 1919.) A rather coarse Andropogonlike grass occurring occasionally on sandy land. This is one of the most dominant grasses of the sweet veld of Africa."

For previous introduction, see S. P. I. No. 47812.

48788 and 48789. *TRITICUM AESTIVUM* L. Poaceæ. Common wheat.
(*T. vulgare* Vill.)

48788. "(No. 106. Kimberley, Cape Province. September 27, 1919.) Wheat from the Douglas district; as sold in the market."

48789. "(No. 107. Kimberley, Cape Province. September 27, 1919.) Wheat from near Kimberley on the Modder River, Orange Free State."

48790. *TRIUMFETTA TRICHOCARPA* Sond. Tiliaceæ.

"(No. 150. East Pretoria, Transvaal. October 12, 1919.) A rather inferior fiber plant. It may have other properties worth considering."

48791 to 48793. *VIGNA SINENSIS* (Torner) Savi. Fabaceæ. Cowpea.

48791. "(No. 94. Kimberley, Cape Province. September 27, 1919.) Kafir beans, mostly black, grown by natives and used by them. Collected in market where they are sold in bulk. Probably grown in Orange Free State. Seed mixed; no attempt made to separate the different types. These native beans should be valuable as dry-land crops, and many types of cowpeas may be separated from them. They constitute one of the chief native foods, next to corn and kafir."