

55775 and 55787—Continued.**55780. LILIUM sp.**

"(Likiang, Yunnan, July, 1922.) Bulbs of a lily with red stems and thick, fleshy, light-green leaves, collected on the eastern slope of the Likiang Snow Range at an altitude of 14,000 feet. The yellowish green flowers are marked with purple stripes."

55781 to 55784. PRUNUS spp. Amygdalaceæ.**55781. PRUNUS TOMENTOSA Thunb.****Bush cherry.**

"(Likiang, Yunnan, July 18, 1922.) Seeds of a shrubby cherry which grows on the Yunnan-Szechwan border about five days' journey north of Likiang in the scrub forests near Fengkow, not far from the Yangtze River, at an altitude of 11,000 feet. The plant is 8 to 10 feet high, with a gray pubescence, branching from the base and forming a large round bush. It is a most prolific bearer, and in the latter part of July is loaded with the oval orange-yellow cherries of a sweetish sour flavor."

55782. PRUNUS sp.**Cherry.**

"(No. 5052. Mili, Szechwan, July 10, 1922.) Seeds of a fine spreading tree 35 to 40 feet in height, collected in the mountains at an altitude of 12,000 feet. The small oval red fruits have very small seeds. The tree should make a good stock plant."

55783. PRUNUS sp.**Plum.**

"(Near Puerhfu, Yunnan, July, 1922.) Seeds of a fine tree which bears bright-yellow, very juicy fruits of a mild, sweet flavor, the size of a small apple. This species could doubtless be improved."

55784. PRUNUS sp.**Plum.**

"(Near Puerhfu, Yunnan, July, 1922.) Seeds of a tree 35 to 40 feet high, with bright-yellow, slightly bitter fruits the size of a small walnut."

55785 to 55787. RUBUS spp. Rosaceæ.**Raspberry.****55785. RUBUS sp.**

"(Likiang, Yunnan, July, 1922.) Seeds of a rambling shrub collected on the Likiang Snow Range at an altitude of 15,000 feet in exposed situations covered with snow in winter and early spring. The entire plant is woolly white and slightly spiny, and the leaves are snow white beneath. The fruits, the size of a thimble, have a sweet, delicious flavor, and the individual drupelets are large and transparent."

55786. RUBUS sp.

"(Likiang, July 20, 1922.) Seeds of a climbing shrub, with leaves silvery beneath and green above, growing on the Likiang Snow Range at an altitude of 13,000 feet. The orange-red berries have a sweet subacid flavor and attractive color."

55787. RUBUS sp.

"(Likiang, July 20, 1922.) Seeds of a shrub 5 to 6 feet high, collected on the slopes of the Likiang Snow Range at an altitude of 13,000 feet. The small leaves are green on both sides, and the scarlet berries are sweet and very palatable."

55788. RUBUS GLAUCUS Benth. Rosaceæ.**Andes berry.**

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"The Andes berry occurs as a wild plant from Mexico to Ecuador. It is a vigorous raspberry-like plant, bearing maroon-colored fruits which resemble Logan blackberries in flavor, but are sweeter. It can probably be culti-