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64453. *CAREX* sp. Cyperaceae. Sedge.
No. 3301. Harbin. June 14, 1925. Found in exposed dry places in the new Russian cemetery.
64454. *FALCATA JAPONICA* Oliver. Fabaceae.
No. 3131. June 1, 1925. A small leguminous vine growing in thick shrubby places on the hills about Ertientientze.
- 64455 and 64456. *HIEROCHLOE GLABRA* Trin. Poaceae. Grass.
64455. No. 3016. Harbin. May 23, 1925. Collected from plants growing in one of the small parks just at the top of the hill, en route from Fuchiatien to New Town.
64456. No. 3020. Harbin. May 24, 1925. Collected in the new Russian cemetery. This grass is peculiar in that the fruiting stalk contains practically no leaves. It is not a bunch grass and apparently spreads not only by seeds but through slender underground shoots.
- 64457 and 64458. *LONICERA PRAEFLORENS* Batal. Caprifoliaceae. Honeysuckle.
64457. No. 3083. Ertientientze. June 1, 1925. An edible-fruited honeysuckle which grows in the shade of good-sized trees. The fruits, about the size of peas, are bright red.
64458. No. 3266. Hungtaohotze. June 10, 1925. Obtained from plants growing in rather open timberland on the mountain ridges in one of the V. F. Kavolsky forest concessions. We ate quite a few of these fruits and can say that while they are not excellent we have eaten worse.
- 64459 and 64460. *PANICUM MILIACEUM* L. Poaceae. Proso.
64459. No. 3137. June 1, 1925. A glutinous red-seeded variety procured from a Chinese farmer about 1½ miles to the northeast of Ertientientze.
64460. No. 3140. June 1, 1925. A very dark, almost black shiny-seeded variety obtained from a Chinese farmer about 1½ miles northeast of Ertientientze.
64461. *POA* sp. Poaceae. Grass.
No. 3299. Harbin. June 14, 1925. Collected in a dry exposed place in the new Russian cemetery.
64462. *PRUNUS* sp. Amygdalaceae. Cherry.
No. 3174. Harbin. June 4, 1925. *Yen tai ying tao* (Chefoo cherry) obtained in the market and said to have been shipped in from Chefoo. The seeds are rather large and appear to be somewhat different from the ordinary cherry.
- 64463 to 64472. *ULMUS* spp. Ulmaceae. Elm.
64463. *ULMUS MACROCARPA* Hance.
No. 3156. Ertientientze. June 1, 1925.
- 64464 and 64465. *ULMUS PUMILA* L.
64464. No. 2986. May 20, 1925. Collected from trees, exposed to drought and severe cold, growing

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- on a sandy knoll a mile or so to the north of Harbin, in bottomland across the Sungari River.
64465. No. 2995. May 22, 1925. Obtained from trees growing in the old Russian cemetery, located about two blocks east of the American legation. These trees are better shaped than the others.
- 64466 and 64467. *ULMUS JAPONICA* Sarg.
64466. No. 3072. May 31, 1925. Obtained from a tree located on the southwestern slope of the hill near Ertientientze. The leaves of this tree are more or less rough, and the fruits are small.
64467. No. 3127. Ertientientze. June 1, 1925.
- 64468 to 64471. *ULMUS PUMILA* L.
64468. No. 3128. Ertientientze. June 1, 1925. An attractive tree with pendulous branches.
64469. No. 3129. June 1, 1925. Collected on the hillside northeast of Ertientientze.
64470. No. 3132. Ertientientze. June 1, 1925. More or less cork was found on the branches of this tree.
64471. No. 3267. June 10, 1925. *Hsiao yueh hung yü shu* (small-leaved red elm). This variety was obtained in the river bottom in the V. F. Kavolsky forest concession about 20 miles from Hengtaohotze.
64472. *ULMUS LACINIATA* (Trautv.) Mayr.
No. 3065. May 31, 1925. From a small tree growing on a northern mountain slope to the northeast of Ertientientze. This species has rather long fruits and large leaves. The tree is said to be rather large, but so far we have seen only one small one.
- 64473 to 64475. *VIOLA* spp. Violaceae. Violet.
64473. *VIOLA VARIEGATA* Fisch.
No. 3105. Ertientientze. June 1, 1925. A species with cyclamenlike leaves, white along the veins, and light purple flowers.
64474. *VIOLA COLLINA* Bess.
No. 3106. Ertientientze. June 1, 1925. The large light-green leaves are produced on long stems; the stems and leaves are hairy.
64475. *VIOLA* sp.
No. 3130. June 1, 1925. A wild Chinese violet found on the hillsides to the northeast of Ertientientze.
- 64476 to 64497.
From Blackwood, South Australia. Seeds presented by W. L. Wheeler, Eden Hills, through Edwin Ashby, "Wirtunga." Received July 31, 1925. Notes by Mr. Wheeler.
64476. *BALAUSTION PULCHERRIMUM* Hook. Myrtaceae.
A low prostrate shrub, native to Western Australia, with a short thick trunk, narrow rigid leaves, and large