

67537 to 67631—Continued.

67623. *MEIBOMIA GYROIDES* (DC.) Kuntze
(*Desmodium gyroides* DC.). Fabaceae.

No. 525. Lampehan. March 3, 1926. A shrubby annual called "Asir Asir," which is native to northern Sumatra and is used as a protection crop to prevent the coarse grass from crowding out the seedlings of *Pinus merkusii*.

For previous introduction see No. 64177.

67624. *SAURAUJA VULCANI* Korth. Dilleniaceae.

No. 536. Shore of Lake Tawar, near Takenong. March 4, 1926. A shrub with broad thick leaves, white rather unattractive flowers, and fruits the size of small cherries which are green in color when ripe.

67625. *CURCULIGO CAPITULATA* (Lour.) Kuntze
(*C. recurvata* Ait.). Amaryllidaceae.

No. 548. Between Takenong and Bireun. March 6, 1926. An ornamental plant resembling the first broad undivided leaf of a palm. The leaves rise 3 feet from a rootstock, and among them is borne the head of yellow flowers. The fruits are white, succulent, ovoid berries, half an inch long, covered with spider-weblike brown hairs.

For previous introduction see No. 39665.

67626. (Undetermined.)

No. 651. Lho Senmawe. March 12, 1926. A tropical vine.

67627. *URARIA LAGOPODIODES* (L.) Desv. Fabaceae.

No. 660. Lho Senmawe. March 12, 1926. A pink-flowered cloverlike plant growing abundantly in wet land.

For previous introduction see No. 31719.

67628. (Undetermined.)

No. 664. From the road between Takenong and Bireun, at an altitude of 1,000 feet. March 11, 1926. An attractive small tree producing an abundance of large clusters of fruits.

67629. *LEEA RUBRA* Blume. Vitaceae.

No. 671. Found in moist places near Lho Senmawe. March 12, 1926. A shrub with flat corymbs of brilliant, deep-red flowers which are followed by large bunches of reddish to blue-black berries.

67630. (Undetermined.)

No. 680. Near Lho Senmawe. March 11, 1926. A cannalike plant with attractive red fruits.

67631. (Undetermined.)

No. 683. From northern Sumatra. March 26, 1926. A leguminous plant.

67632 to 67640.

From Ventimiglia, Italy. Seeds presented by S. W. McLeod Braggins, superintendent, La Mortola. Received June 2, 1926.

67632. *ANTHOLYZA AETHIOPICA* L. Iridaceae.

No. 181. An irislike plant, from the Cape of Good Hope, with a branched stem about 3 feet high, sword-shaped leaves a foot or so long, and red and yellow flowers about 2 inches long in rather dense spikes up to 9 inches in length.

67633. *ARTEMISIA ARGENTEA* L'Herit. Asteraceae. Wormwood.

No. 204. An erect shrubby perennial a foot or two high, with pinnate silvery leaves and panicles of nodding globular heads of yellow flowers. Native to Madeira.

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67634. *ARTEMISIA VULGARIS* L. Asteraceae.
Mugwort.

No. 207. Italian-grown seeds.

67635. *BAUHINIA YUNNANENSIS* Franch. Caesalpiniaceae.

No. 249. A vigorous climber from southwestern China; the rounded two-parted leathery leaves are 1½ inches long. The flowers, rosy white striped with purple, are in many-flowered pendulous racemes.

67636. *CISTUS FLORENTINUS* Lam. Cistaceae.
Rockrose.

No. 442. A dwarf shrub, a hybrid between *Cistus monspeliensis* and *C. salvifolius*. It has very narrow leaves and white flowers.

67637. *CISTUS PURPUREUS* Lam. Cistaceae.
Rockrose

No. 451. A shrub, 4 feet or less in height, a hybrid between *Cistus ladaniferus* and *C. villosus*. The narrowly oblong leaves are wrinkled above, and the lilac-purple flowers with yellow petal bases are 3 inches across and usually in threes.

67638. *CLERODENDRUM TRICHOTOMUM FARGESII* (Dode) Rehder. Verbenaceae.

No. 509. A rapid-growing Chinese shrub, with dark-green or purplish strongly veined oval leaves and fragrant whitish flowers, borne in summer in panicles. The globular, peacock-blue fruits, about the size of peas, are set on the purple or crimson persistent calyx.

For previous introduction see No. 44533.

67639. *HYPERICUM HOOKERIANUM* Wight and Arn. Hypericaceae.

No. 984. A compact shrub up to 6 feet high, with bright reddish brown branches, evergreen leaves 1 to 4 inches long, and many-flowered corymbs of large golden-yellow flowers, each about 2 inches across. Native to the Himalayas.

For previous introduction see No. 35099.

67640. *PRUNUS CONRADINAE* Koehne. Amygdalaceae.
Conradina cherry.

No. 1462. A graceful tree, about 25 feet high, native to central China, with doubly serrate, oval-oblong leaves up to 6 inches long, and cymes of whitish or pink flowers which appear before the leaves.

For previous introduction see No. 45215.

67641 to 67647.

From Java. Seeds obtained by David Fairchild, agricultural explorer, Bureau of Plant Industry, with the Allison V. Armour expedition. Received June 28, 1926.

67641. *CITRUS GRANDIS* (L.) Osbeck (*C. decumana* Muir.). Rutaceae. Grapefruit.

No. 773. Purchased in the market at Kediri. May 10, 1926. A large light-yellow fruit which is inclined to be slightly pear shaped. The dark-pink flesh, which separates easily from the partition walls, is of a refreshing mild acid flavor.

67642. *DURIO ZIBETHINUS* Muir. Bombacaceae.
Durian.

No. 774. Purchased in the market at Kediri. May 10, 1926. A deliciously flavored fruit.

For previous introduction see No. 61464.

67643 and 67644. *GARCINIA MANGOSTANA* L. Clusiaceae.
Mangosteen.