

69171 to 69227—Continued.

69223. No. 616. *Hon woh*. A first-crop starchy variety of upland rice, originally from Tsangsheng, Kwangtung, which has been growing for the last year at the Canton Christian College. The growing season is 110 days, and the yield per acre is 1,280 pounds.

69224. No. 617. *San tsim kuk*. A first-crop, starchy variety of upland rice, originally from Tsangsheng, Kwangtung. The growing season is 110 days, and the yield per acre is 1,680 pounds.

69225. No. 618. *Toi shaan hon woh*. A first-crop, starchy variety of upland rice from Toishaan, Kwangtung, which has been grown for the last year at the Canton Christian College. The growing season is 110 days, and the yield per acre is 1,325 pounds.

69226. No. 619. *Pa woh*. A first-crop starchy variety of upland rice from Ngwa, Kwangtung, which has been growing at the Canton Christian College for the last year. The growing season is 110 days, and the yield per acre is 1,835 pounds.

69227. *ROSA* sp. Rosaceae. **Rose.**

No. 564. *Kam ying lak*. A wild rose found widely distributed throughout Kwangtung Province in hedgerows, on uncultivated lands, and on mountain sides. The plant is a rank grower and does well even on the poorest soil. I have not observed it, however, above an altitude of a few hundred feet. The dark-green shiny foliage is unusually fine, being beautifully clean and free from disease and insect injury. The single pure white flowers with yellow anthers are very large, about 9 centimeters in diameter, and are produced abundantly. I measured one flower last year which was 11 centimeters in diameter.

69228 and 69229. *PRUNUS* spp. Amygdalaceae. Japanese flowering cherry.

From Yokohama, Japan. Seedlings purchased from the Yokohama Nursery Co. Received March, 1925. Numbered December, 1926.

69228. *PRUNUS SERRULATA* Lindl.

Mazakura. This is a low, comparatively short-lived, much-branched tree with small single white or pinkish flowers, sparingly produced. It is the usual stock on which Japanese nurserymen graft the better varieties of Japanese flowering cherries and is said to root readily, in Japan, from hardwood cuttings planted in March.

69229. *PRUNUS SERRULATA SPONTANEA* (Maxim.) Wilson.

Yamasakura. A native Japanese cherry, common on mountain sides from the extreme southern part of Japan to about the central portion. It becomes a tree 80 feet high, of spreading habit, with single pink flowers, and is of value chiefly because of its use as a stock for the better varieties of flowering cherries.

For previous introduction see No. 67963.

69230 to 69353.

From Manchuria. Seeds obtained by P. H. Dorsett, agricultural explorer, Bureau of Plant Industry, through D. McLorn, Postal Commissioner, Harbin. Received November, 1926.

69230 to 69288. *TRITICUM AESTIVUM* L. (*T. vulgare* Vill.). Poaceae. **Common wheat.**

Locally grown seeds.

69230. No. 6931. From Angangki or Tsitsikar. September, 1926.

69231. No. 6935. From Lanhsipel, Heilungchiang Province. September, 1926.

69232. No. 6939. From Wuchiatzu, Kirin Province. September, 1926.

69233. No. 6943. From Fenghuangliang. September, 1926.

69234. No. 6947. From Tuchiaotzu, Kirin Province. September, 1926.

69235. No. 6951. From Chaotung. September, 1926.

69236. No. 6955. From Pinhsien. September, 1926.

69237. No. 6959. From Tungpel. September, 1926.

69238. No. 6963. From Tunghsingchen, Heilungkiang Province. September, 1926.

69239. No. 6957. From Hsintien, Kirin Province. September, 1926.

69240. No. 6971. From Yushen. September, 1926.

69241. No. 6975. From Shitouchengtzu. September, 1926.

69242. No. 6979. From Wangchitun. September, 1926.

69243. No. 6983. From Huachuan. September, 1926.

69244. No. 6987. From Tachen. September, 1926.

69245. No. 6991. From Changchun. September, 1926.

69246. No. 6993. From Wayun. September 17, 1926.

69247. No. 6997. From Chiehhochen. September, 1926.

69248. No. 7001. From Hsiaoholung. September 18, 1926.

69249. No. 7005. From Ssutaltzu, Kirin Province. September, 1926.

69250. No. 7009. From Takushan, Kirin Province. September 9, 1926.

69251. No. 7013. From Hailun. September 14, 1926.

69252. No. 7017. From Tifang. September 20, 1926.

69253. No. 7021. From Hsichengchen, Heilungkiang Province. September 11, 1926.

69254. No. 7025. From Pingyangchen, Kirin Province. September, 1926.

69255. No. 7029. From Shuanghochen, Kirin Province. September 11, 1926.

69256. No. 7033. From Hulan. September 7, 1926.