

80340 to 80348—Continued.

80340 to 80347. *TRITICUM AESTIVUM* L.
(*T. vulgare* Vill.) Common wheat.

80340. C 74. *D. A. C. A179* × *Florence*.

80341. C 80. *Dindiloa* × *Labawa*.

80342. C 86. *Florence* × *Velvet Don*.

80343. M 11. *Comeback* × *Florence*.

80344. M 28. *Dindiloa* × *Labawa*.

80345. M 29. *Dindiloa* × *Labawa*.

80346. M 30. *Dindiloa* × *Labawa*.

80347. P 1511. *Genoa*.

80348. *TRITICUM DURUM* Desf.
Durum wheat.

P 1211. *Kubanka*.

80349. *SACCHARUM SPONTANEUM* L.
Poaceae. Grass.

From Coimbatore, India. Cuttings presented by the Imperial Sugar Cane Breeding Station, through E. W. Brandes, Bureau of Plant Industry. Received April 26, 1929.

A perennial tropical grass closely related to the sugarcane. It is sometimes cultivated as a hedge plant.

For previous introduction see No. 77782.

80350 to 80355.

From Cape Town, Union of South Africa. Bulbs purchased from W. S. Duke & Co. Received February and March, 1926. Numbered in April 1929.

80350. *LACHENALIA RUBIDA* Jacq. Liliaceae.
Cape-cowslip.

A herbaceous perennial, native to South Africa, with a globose bulb from which arise usually two lanceolate, spotted leaves 6 inches long and a naked stalk 9 inches high, bearing a close raceme of small cylindrical, mostly drooping flowers. The outer segments are bright red tipped with green, and the inner segments are longer and yellow.

80351. *LACHENALIA TRICOLOR AUREA* (Lindl.) Hook. f. Liliaceae.
Cape-cowslip.

A herbaceous perennial, native to South Africa, closely resembling *Lachenalia rubida*, but the flowers are bright orange-yellow.

80352 to 80354. *ORNITHOGALUM* spp.
Liliaceae.

80352. *ORNITHOGALUM ARABICUM* L.
Arabian star-of-Bethlehem.

A herbaceous perennial, native to the Mediterranean region, with a thick, ovoid bulb, five to eight glaucous green leaves 12 to 18 inches long, and a scape 1 to 2 feet high, bearing a 6-flowered to 12-flowered raceme of fragrant white flowers. The pistil is black and adds to the attractiveness of the flowers. This species is very popular for pot culture.

80353. *ORNITHOGALUM SPECIOSUM* Baker.
Star-of-Bethlehem.

A herbaceous perennial, native to South Africa, with a globose bulb an inch in diameter, four short thick linear leaves, and a scape a foot high which bears three to five white flowers having an orange-red spot at the tip.

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80354. *ORNITHOGALUM THYRSOIDES* AUREUM (Curtis) Baker.
Chincherichee.

An ornamental, native to South Africa, with a globose bulb about 2 inches thick and five or six very narrow leaves 6 inches to a foot long. The golden-yellow flowers, sometimes an inch long under cultivation, are borne in rather dense racemes on a scape about a foot high. In a dried condition these make excellent "everlasting" flowers.

For previous introduction see No. 66891.

80355. *VALLOTA SPECIOSA* (L. f.) Dur. and Schinz. (*V. purpurea* Herbert). Amaryllidaceae.
Scarboro-lily.

A herbaceous perennial with an ovoid bulb, 6 to 18 lanceolate leaves 1 to 2 feet long, and a hollow stem 2 to 3 feet high, bearing an umbel of six to nine scarlet funnel-shaped flowers. Native to southern Africa.

80356. *HELENIUM AUTUMNALE* L. Asteraceae.
Sneezeweed.

From Niederwalluf am Rheim, Germany. Plants purchased from Goos & Koene-mann. Received April 24, 1929.

Wyndley. A plant 2½ feet high, bearing bronzy yellow flowers.

80357 to 80381.

From China. Seeds and rhizomes collected by J. E. Rock, National Geographic Society, Washington, D. C. Received April 29, 1929.

80357. *ABIES* sp. Pinaceae. Fir.

No. 17361. November, 1928. A lovely and stately tree, 60 to 80 feet high, growing in the forests of Tokesher, northwestern Yunnan, at an altitude of 12,000 feet. The needles are silvery beneath, and the very large cones are deep purplish black.

80358. *ACONITUM* sp. Ranunculaceae.
Monkshood.

No. 17376-A. November, 1928. A poisonous plant growing in the alpine meadows of the Likang Snow Range, Yunnan, at altitudes between 11,000 and 12,000 feet. It is 3 to 4 feet high and bears rich blue flowers.

80359. *ANEMONE* sp. Ranunculaceae.

No. 17325. October, 1928. A plant half a foot high, growing in the glacier moraine of Sabaloko, at the foot of Mount Satseto, Likang Snow Range, Yunnan, at an altitude of 12,000 feet. The leaves are a rich glossy green on the under surface, and the large white flowers have a purplish tinge beneath.

80360. *BAUHINIA* sp. Caesalpiniaceae.

No. 17377. November, 1928. A shrub or small tree, which prefers dry sunny situations, growing on the islands in Lake Yungning, northwestern Yunnan, at an altitude of 9,600 feet. It is 15 feet high and bears small white flowers.

80361. *COTONEASTER* sp. Malaceae.

No. 17365. December, 1928. A shrub growing in the Litang River gorge at Kere, Mull, southwestern Szechwan, at an altitude of 9,500 feet. It is 6 to 10