

- 15. CUCUMIS MELO. Muskmelon.**  
 From Russia. Received through Prof. N. E. Hansen, January, 1898. "Kochanka;" a Russian variety. (27 packages.)  
 Oval, flesh green; very productive, medium early; sweet and juicy. Extensively used for confectionery, cooked in sugar, the process peculiar.
- 16. CITRULLUS VULGARIS. Watermelon.**  
 From Russia. Received through Prof. N. E. Hansen, January, 1898. Russian variety from Belbek, Crimea. (38 packages.)  
 Oblong, dark green; flesh bright red; early.
- 17. CUCUMIS MELO. Muskmelon.**  
 From Russia. Received through Prof. N. E. Hansen, January, 1898. "Empress of Melons;" a Russian variety. (57 packages.)  
 Oval, surface variegated, flesh green, delicate, melting, and very sweet; extremely early and productive.
- 18. CITRULLUS VULGARIS. Watermelon.**  
 From Russia. Received through Prof. N. E. Hansen, January, 1898. Originally from Yokohama, Japan. (42 packages.)  
 Dark green, with red flesh; moderately late.
- 19. CUCUMIS MELO. Muskmelon.**  
 From Russia. Received through Prof. N. E. Hansen, January, 1898. "Lenkoran No. 2;" originally from Lenkoran, Province of Baku, in Transcaucasia. (227 packages.)  
 Shape, oval; outside bright yellow with small dark spots; flesh green; ripens late and keeps well.
- 20. CITRULLUS VULGARIS. Watermelon.**  
 From Russia. Received through Prof. N. E. Hansen, January, 1898. "Favorite of the Pjatigorsk farm;" a Russian variety. (26 packages.)  
 Round, skin green with dark stripes, flesh orange; very early. Variety obtained direct from its native locality.
- 21. CUCUMIS MELO. Muskmelon.**  
 From Russia. Received through Prof. N. E. Hansen, January, 1898. "General Skobelev II;" an Asiatic variety introduced into Russia from Khiva, Turkestan. (31 packages.)  
 Round, rind white, flesh orange; medium early.
- 22. CITRULLUS VULGARIS. Watermelon.**  
 From Russia. Received through Prof. N. E. Hansen, January, 1898. "The Czar of Baktcha;" a Russian variety. (22 packages.)  
 Very large, bright green with dark stripes, flesh red; rather late.
- 23. CITRULLUS VULGARIS. Watermelon.**  
 From Russia. Received through Prof. N. E. Hansen, January, 1898. "Favorite of the Pjatigorsk farm;" a Russian variety. (20 packages.)  
 Round, skin green with dark stripes, flesh dark red; very early; further described as "magnificent."  
 Evidently the same as No. 20.
- 24. CITRULLUS VULGARIS. Watermelon.**  
 From Russia. Received through Prof. N. E. Hansen, January, 1898. "Jea Teveam;" originally from China. (34 packages.)  
 Blackish green, flesh rose-colored; moderately late.