

5534. CANARIUM AMBOINENSE. Amboina almond.

From Amboina, Dutch East Indies. Received through Messrs. Lathrop and Fairchild (No. 353, February 8, 1900), October 8, 1900.

"This is possibly the stateliest avenue tree in the world and forms in the famous garden of Buitenzorg, Java, the '*Canarium Allée*,' which is noted as the most beautiful avenue in existence. A valuable table oil is made from the kernels of the fruits and these are highly prized by Europeans, being eaten like almonds. If introduced into the Philippines they might be made to pay as a secondary crop." (*Fairchild.*)

5535. SOLANUM MELONGENA. Eggplant.

From Amboina, Dutch East Indies. Received through Messrs. Lathrop and Fairchild (No. 354, February 8, 1900), October 8, 1900.

"Fruit long, striped with red, purple, and white." (*Fairchild.*)

5536. CAPSICUM ANNUM. Red pepper.

From Amboina, Dutch East Indies. Received through Messrs. Lathrop and Fairchild (No. 355, February 14, 1900), October 8, 1900.

"An excellent variety of egg-shaped red pepper." (*Fairchild.*)

5537. CAPSICUM ANNUM. Red pepper.

From Singapore. Received through Messrs. Lathrop and Fairchild (No. 356, January 24, 1900), October 8, 1900.

"A long, slender variety of red pepper." (*Fairchild.*)

5538. CAPSICUM ANNUM. Red pepper.

From Macassar, Celebes. Received through Messrs. Lathrop and Fairchild (No. 357, January 11, 1900), October 8, 1900.

"A small red pepper." (*Fairchild.*)

5539. Forest tree.

From Boela, Ceram Island, Dutch East Indies. Received through Messrs. Lathrop and Fairchild (No. 358, January 18, 1900), October 8, 1900.

"Seeds from a single fruit of a beautiful orange-red color; borne by a small forest tree with lanceolate dark-green leaves. Fruits borne in pairs, and are pulpy, jelly-like, and almost transparent. One of the showiest fruits I have ever seen. I do not know whether or not it is edible." (*Fairchild.*)

5540. Forest tree.

From Boela, Ceram Island, Dutch East Indies. Received through Messrs. Lathrop and Fairchild (No. 359, January 18, 1900), October 8, 1900.

"Fruit oblate spheroid, dark green, several-seeded with hard, smooth exocarp. Flesh brown and spongy. Not known to be edible." (*Fairchild.*)

5541. Forest tree.

From Boela, Ceram Island, Dutch East Indies. Received through Messrs. Lathrop and Fairchild (No. 360, January 18, 1900), October 8, 1900.

"One-seeded, purple-fleshed fruit, from clearing in virgin forest. Said to be poisonous." (*Fairchild.*)

5542. VICIA FABA. Broad bean.

From Dutch East Indies. Received through Messrs. Lathrop and Fairchild (No. 361, January 11, 1900), October 8, 1900.

"Sample of a variety of broad bean which is canned and sent from Holland to India, where it is cooked in water and eaten as a great delicacy by Europeans. Most excellent eating." (*Fairchild.*)