

81298 to 81307—Continued.

81303. RUBUS sp.

No. 916. From plants along a mountain trail near the top of Takao-yama, July 9, 1929. A fairly prolific species with quite large canes and bright-red fruits.

81304. RUBUS sp.

No. 918. From plants along a trail near the top of Takao-yama, Takao, July 9, 1929. A species with orange fruits.

81305 and 81306. SAMBUCUS RACEMOSA L. Caprifoliaceae. European red elder.

For previous introduction see No. 77614.

81305. No. 552. Between Shoji and Kofu, June 28, 1929. A small red-berried variety with quite large, snowy clusters.

81306. No. 917. From plants along a mountain trail on Takao-yama, Takao, July 9, 1929. Bright-red seeds.

81307. SOJA MAX (L.) Piper (*Glycine hispida* Maxim.). Fabaceae. Soybean.

No. 487. Near Matsushima Mura, July 6, 1929. Mixed varieties of green-seeded and yellow-seeded varieties used in making miso.

81308 to 81342. SACCHARUM OFFICINARUM L. Poaceae. Sugarcane.

From Sydney, Australia. Cuttings presented by P. H. Goldfinch, general manager of the Colonial Sugar Refining Co. Received August 10, 1929.

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81343. EUGENIA PUNGENS Berg. Myrtaceae. Guabiyu.

From El Saff, Egypt. Seeds presented by Alfred Bircher, Middle Egypt Botanic Station. Received August 12, 1929.

A bushy species native to South America, with pungent leaves and myrtlelike flowers. The black fruits, generally in pairs, are about an inch across with sweet, yellow flesh inclosing one or two large green seeds.

For previous introduction see No. 47987.

81344 to 81355.

From Tiflis, Georgia, Union of Socialist Soviet Republics. Seeds presented by the director of the botanic garden. Received August 12, 1929.

81344. BELLEVALIA ALBANA Hort. Liliaceae.

A horticultural name for which a place of publication or a description has not been found.

81345. HEDERA COLCHICA Koch. Araliaceae. Colchis ivy.

A high-climbing vine with the young growth covered by golden-yellow scales, broadly cordate almost entire bright-green leaves of firm texture, and small umbels of greenish yellow flowers in paniculate clusters, followed by black fruits. It is native to the Caucasus region.

81346 to 81349. IRIS spp. Iridaceae.

81346. IRIS CAUCASICA Hoffm.

A dwarf iris belonging to the Juno section, with a stem 3 to 15 inches high, mostly hidden by the crowded clasping leaves, which have white horny margins. The pale or bright-yellow flowers, one to four on each stem, have ovate outer segments with a broad rhomboidal claw, small auricles, and a toothed or ciliated crest; the inner segments are oblanceolate. Native to the Caucasus region.

For previous introduction see No. 79909.

81347. IRIS IBERICA Hoffm. Iberian iris.

A dwarf iris of the oncocyclus section, with falcate leaves 3 to 6 inches long and a large flower on a stem 3 to 4 inches high. The reflexing spoon-shaped falls are obovate, 2 inches broad, and pale brown, closely veined and blotched with purple brown with a dark velvety signal patch. The standards are overarched, varying from pure white to nearly the color of the outer segments. Native to the Caucasus region.

For previous introduction see No. 79910.

81348. IRIS TASCHEA Hort.

A name for which a place of publication or description has not been found.

For previous introduction see No. 79918.

81349. IRIS sp.

Received as *Iris sulfurea*, which is usually a synonym of *I. pumila*; but the seeds received do not agree with the material of that species.

81350. MUSCARI SZOVITSIANUM Baker. Liliaceae. Grape-hyacinth.

A perennial with a large bulb which sends up several linear leaves 5 to 6 inches long and several scapes 4 to 5 inches high, with racemes of faintly odorous bright-blue urn-shaped flowers one-sixth of an inch across. Native to the Caucasus region.