

During the period of this inventory Prof. F. T. Bioletti and Knowles A. Ryerson, agricultural explorers, were in north Africa and from Tunis and Morocco sent seeds and cuttings of apricots (*Prunus armeniaca*, Nos. 88597-88606, 88704-88714, 88872-88897, 88937-88946, 88948-88965), peaches (*Amygdalus persica*, No. 88870) and lemon (*Citrus limonia*, No. 88871), all of which will be used by our department plant breeders.

The specialists working with sugarcane have received from Barbados, British West Indies, shipments of cuttings of *Saccharum officinarum* (Nos. 88619-88670, 89173).

The botanical determinations of these introductions have been made and the nomenclature determined by H. C. Skeels, who has had general supervision of this inventory.

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