

95454 to 95499—Continued.

The stems are 2 to 5 feet high, the compound leaves are made up of 6 to 12 pairs of small oval gray-green leaflets, and the violet flowers with yellow blotches are borne in racemes 18 inches long and appear throughout the summer.

95489. HYACINTHUS AMETHYSTINUS L. Liliaceae. **Hyacinth.**

A slender, graceful Spanish hyacinth with short racemes of light-blue flowers up to 6 inches high.

For previous introduction see 91282.

95490 to 95492. LILIUM spp. Liliaceae. **Lily.**

95490. LILIUM HELDREICHII Freyn.

A lily, native to Greece, with stems 2 to 3 feet high, bearing narrow scattered leaves and one to four orange-red flowers, tinged with yellow outside, which appear early in July.

95491. LILIUM SUTCHUENENSE Franch.

A lily from Szechwan, western China, with a stem 3 to 5 feet high and spreading underground stems. The thickly scattered leaves are linear and deep green, and the pendulous flowers, up to 20 in number, have reflexed orange-red segments spotted with purplish black and red anthers.

For previous introduction see 65720.

95492. LILIUM sp.

95493. MUSCARI sp. Liliaceae. **Grape-hyacinth.**

Originally from Portugal.

95494. RANUNCULUS GRAMINEUS L. Ranunculaceae. **Buttercup.**

A smooth herbaceous perennial with rosettes of linear to lanceolate leaves and bright-yellow flowers on stalks 6 to 12 inches high. It is native to Europe.

For previous introduction see 91445.

95495. SCABIOSA GRAMINIFOLIA L. Dipsacaceae.

A low herbaceous perennial, somewhat woody at the base, native to southern Europe. The stems that rise about 1 foot above the basal rosette bear linear silvery leaves, and the typical scabious flowers are pale lavender.

95496. SCABIOSA LUCIDA Vill. Dipsacaceae.

A perennial herb with shining-green deeply divided leaves in basal rosettes and terminal heads of blue-purple flowers. Native to alpine meadows in Spain.

95497 to 95499. STATICE spp. Plumbaginaceae. **Thrift.**

95497. STATICE FASCICULATA Vent.

A glabrous perennial, subshrubby at the base, with yuccalike leaves and dense heads of pale-pink armerialike flowers. It is native to southwestern Europe.

95498. STATICE JUNCEA (Girard) Hubbard.

A low herbaceous perennial with a rosette of linear leaves and small heads of pink armerialike flowers. Native to Europe.

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95499. STATICE WELWITSCHII (Boiss.) Hubbard.

A bushy perennial with a rosette of rigid acuminate linear leaves and small flowers in a hemispherical head of armerialike flowers. Native to the coast of southern Spain.

95500. CARPOTROCHE BRASILIENSIS (Raddi) Endl. Flacourtiaceae.

Sapucainha.

From Brazil. Seeds presented by Prof. P. H. Rolfs, Viçosa, Minas Geraes. Received December 15, 1931.

A tropical tree 30 to 50 feet high, with oblong leaves about 4 inches long and few-flowered racemes of small white flowers. The fruits are about 4 inches in diameter. A sirup said to cure leprosy and an ointment used for skin affections are prepared from the seeds.

For previous introduction see 88314.

95501 and 95502.

From China. Seeds presented by Raymond T. Meyer, Oberlin Shansi Memorial Schools, Taiku, Shansi. Received December 15, 1931.

95501. AMYGDALUS PERSICA L. Amygdalaceae. **Peach.**

A locally grown hardy peach.

95502. TRITICUM AESTIVUM L. (*T. vulgare* Vill.). Poaceae. **Common wheat.**

An early-maturing spring wheat.

95503. LARIX LYALLII Parl. Pinaceae. **Alpine larch.**

From Washington. Seeds presented by Thornton Mungler, director, Pacific Northwest Forest Experiment Station, Portland, Oreg. Received December 16, 1931.

Collected near Lake Caroline, Wenatchee National Forest, Leavenworth, Wash., a region which has 30 inches of rainfall during the year and a frost-free period of 30 days. A deciduous tree up to 75 feet high, with stout brown-tomentose branchlets and 4-angled leaves 1 to 2 inches long.

95504 to 95515.

From China. Seeds collected by the Forrest Expedition, 1930-32, to southwestern China and presented by Maj. Lionel de Rothschild, London, England. Received December 17, 1931.

95504. ACER sp. Aceraceae. **Maple.**

95505. BENZOIN sp. Lauraceae.

The young foliage is silvery.

95506. CORNUS sp. Cornaceae. **Dogwood.**
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95507. DECAISNEA FARGESII Franch. Lardiabalaceae.

A handsome shrub up to 15 feet high, with large pinnate leaves 3 feet long, greenish flowers in long pendulous racemes, and deep-blue fruits 3 to 4 inches long. Native to western China.

For previous introduction see 77828.

95508. GORDONIA sp. Theaceae.

A tree 40 to 60 feet high.