

forage crops and grasses in the Alps. These seeds were imported for breeding purposes, especially at the Cornell Experiment Station at Ithaca, N. Y.

10547. *PHELEUM MEDIUM.*

10549. *PHELEUM MICHELLII.*

10548. *PHELEUM ALPINUM.*

10550. *PHELEUM PRATENSE.*

10551. (Undetermined.)

From Arcelia, Guerrero, Mexico. Presented by Mr. Federico Chisolm. Received March 26, 1904.

Seeds of a "blue-flowered perennial 12 to 18 inches high. Flowers $1\frac{1}{4}$ inches in diameter with yellow center. Ought to be used for bedding." (*Chisolm.*)

10552. TRITICUM VULGARE.

Wheat.

From Sitka, Alaska. Grown at the Alaska Agricultural Experiment Station by Prof. C. C. Georgeson, from S. P. I. No. 1341 (?). Presented to the Secretary of Agriculture (probably in 1900) by Professor Georgeson.

10553 to 10556. CUCUMIS MELO.

Muskmelon.

From Khojend, Russian Central Asia. Presented by Mr. E. Valneff to Mr. E. A. Bessey. Received March 28, 1904.

10553. *Ak Kuriuk.*

10555. *Parsildak.*

10554. *Bosraldi.*

10556. *Sarnazik.*

10557. BLIGHIA SAPIDA.

Akee.

From Hog Island, near Nassau, West Indies. Presented by Mrs. Ralph Johnson. Received March 25, 1904.

"The fruit of the akee, especially the arillus lying immediately below the seeds, is reported to be a delicious vegetable and to resemble in taste bits of sweetbread when cooked with meats or omelets. Worthy of attention in the Subtropical Gardens in Florida and a possibility as a culture in Porto Rico." (*Pärrchild.*)

10558 to 10562. AMYGDALUS COMMUNIS.

Almond.

Received thru Mr. J. W. Kerr, of Denton, Md., April 7, 1904

10558. *Castillet.*

Grown from S. P. I. No. 7133 (745).

10559. *Fabrica.*

Grown from S. P. I. No. 7135 (748).

10560. *Jordan.*

Grown from S. P. I. No. 7398 or No. 7401 (765 and 771).

10561. *Mollar.*

Grown from S. P. I. No. 7061 (740).

10562. *Puncta.*

Grown from S. P. I. No. 7062 or No. 7134 (741 and 746).

10563. TRIFOLIUM PRATENSE.

Red clover.

From St. Petersburg, Russia. Secured by Mr. E. A. Bessey from Mr. G. Frick. Received April 11, 1904.

"Seed from Rjeschiza, Vitebsk government, in northwestern Russia. Should prove hardy." (*Bessey.*)

10564. TRIFOLIUM PRATENSE.

Red clover.

From St. Petersburg, Russia. Secured by Mr. E. A. Bessey from Mr. G. Frick. Received April 11, 1904.

"Seed from Ekaterinburg, in Siberia. Climate very cold in winter." (*Bessey.*)