

104867 to 104879—Continued.

104867. ACANTHOPANAX BYODIAEFOLIUM Franch. Araliaceae.

An unarmed shrub 10 feet high, with trifololate leaves crowded at the ends of the branchlets. The small lanceolate acuminate leaflets are 3 to 4 inches long. Native to Yunnan, China.

For previous introduction see 93871.

104868. CARPINUS LAXIFLORA DAVIDII Franch. Betulaceae.

A Japanese tree up to 50 feet high, with ovate or elliptic, doubly serrate, long-acuminate, stiff leaves 2 to 8 inches long and inconspicuous flowers.

104869. CELASTRUS MONOSPERMA Roxb. Celastraceae.

A shrubby climber with glossy green, oblong-ovate leaves 3 to 5 inches long and numerous small pale greenish-yellow flowers, followed by smooth, oblong capsules enclosing solitary seeds covered with an orange-colored ariel. Native to India.

104870. DIOSPYROS GLAUCIFOLIA Metcalf. Diospyraceae.

A tree up to 50 feet high, with ovate or broad-elliptic, dull-green leaves about 5 inches long and small globose smooth fruits. Native to southeastern China.

104871. ERYTHRINA ARBORESCENS Roxb. Fabaceae. Coraltree.

When covered with its bright scarlet flowers, this small tree is very attractive and is often planted as an ornamental. There are but few prickles on its branches, and the thin greenish leaves are often a foot in width. The strongly curved pods are about an inch wide and 6 to 9 inches long. The tree is native to the central and eastern Himalayas up to 7,000 feet altitude.

For previous introduction see 68334.

104872. MAACKIA TENUIFOLIA (Hemsl.) Hand.-Mazz. Fabaceae.

A tender shrub with five-foliolate membranous leaves 6 to 8 inches long and white flowers, less than an inch long, in graceful racemes. Native to southeastern China.

104873. MANGLIETIA FORDIANA Oliv. Magnoliaceae.

A tender evergreen tree about 25 feet high, closely allied to the magnolias. The stiff, leathery, oblanceolate leaves are 4 to 6 inches long, and the solitary terminal white flowers are about 4 inches across. Native to Hong Kong.

104874. ORMOSIA sp. Fabaceae.

The ormosias are handsome subtropical trees with pinnately compound leaves, showy flowers in large racemes, and red or red and black seeds.

104875. SINOJACKIA XYLOCARPA Hu. Styracaceae.

A small tree closely allied to the styraxes, from Kiangsu, China. The leaves are membranous, obovate, cuneate, about 3 inches long, and the showy white pendulous flowers, one-half inch long, are in numerous axillary cymes, covering the tree in late April.

104876. STYRAX sp. Styracaceae.

104877. VACCINIUM sp. Vacciniaceae.

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104878. (Undetermined.)

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104879. (Undetermined.)

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104880. CITRUS MEDICA L. Rutaceae. Citron.

From New York. Seeds presented by Dr. A. Reich. Received March 23, 1934.

*Pome citron.* A lemonlike fruit native to Palestine and Syria. The essential oil from the skin has a very fine odor.

104881. SOJA MAX (L.) Piper. Fabaceae. Soybean.

From China. Seeds presented by Dr. Sheo Wang, University of Nanking, Nanking, through W. J. Morse, Bureau of Plant Industry. Received March 27, 1934.

*Nanksoy.* A medium-sized, glossy, yellow bean with a brown hilum. It resembles quite closely in seed characters the Nanking. The variety was developed by Dr. Wang from a native Chinese variety in the vicinity of Nanking. In field tests it has exceeded other varieties in seed yield by as much as 45 percent.

104882 to 104893.

From Czechoslovakia. Seeds presented by Prof. Adolf Kutin, Horti Praefectus, Tabor. Received March 23, 1934.

104882 to 104887. ALLIUM spp. Liliaceae.

104882. ALLIUM BAICALENSE Willd.

An allium with flat linear leaves and lilac flowers in semiglobose heads. Native to the Lake Baikal region, Siberia.

104883. ALLIUM FALLAX Schult. f.

An Austrian allium, 5 to 10 inches high, with linear leaves and lilac-purple flowers in a hemispherical head.

For previous introduction see 66427.

104884. ALLIUM KOCHII Lange.

An allium native to Denmark, with strap-shaped or almost terete leaves and kermisine-red flowers in a dense head, with very few bulbels in the inflorescence.

104885. ALLIUM LEDBOURIANUM Schult. f.

A stout-stemmed allium 1 to 2 feet high, native to the Altai region in Siberia. The linear leaves are terete, and the rosy-pink flowers are in dense hemispherical umbels about 1 inch in diameter.

104886. ALLIUM OPHIOSCORDON G. Don.

Bulbs of an allium very closely allied to *A. sativum*, with a strongly curved stem sometimes 3 feet high and having whitish or greenish flowers. The bulbels of the inflorescence are often nearly one-half inch in diameter.

104887. ALLIUM TULIPAEFOLIUM Ledeb.

A Siberian allium with oblong acute leaves 8 inches long and white or pinkish flowers in small hemispherical umbels.