

**18000. LOLIUM ITALICUM. Italian rye-grass.**

From New York City, N. Y. Received through Henry Nungesser & Co., March 17, 1906.

**18001 to 18118. TRIFOLIUM PRATENSE. Red clover.**

Received through Mr. Charles J. Brand of this Department and distributed by him in connection with his work on life history, seed production, and change of seed. A series of red clovers of different regional origin, being the first generation from seed of the crop of 1903 which was sown in 1904 and harvested in 1905.

**18001 to 18021.**

From Shirley, Ill. Received through Mr. Eugene D. Funk, March, 1906.

**18022 to 18037.**

From Rushville, Ind. Received through Mr. Theodore H. Reed, March, 1906.

**18038 to 18054.**

From Fayetteville, N. Y. Received through Mr. A. T. Armstrong, March, 1906.

**18055 to 18068.**

From Mauston, Wis. Received through Mr. J. B. McNown, March, 1906.

**18069 to 18082.**

From Wapakoneta, Ohio. Received through Mr. John A. Ritchie, March, 1906.

**18083 to 18100.**

From Fargo, N. Dak. Received through Prof. J. H. Shepperd, March, 1906.

**18101 to 18118.**

From Carlton, Oreg. Received through Mr. F. J. Canfield, April 21, 1906.

**18119. BETA VULGARIS. Sugar beet.**

From Aschersleben, Germany. Received through the Owosso Sugar Company, Owosso, Mich., March 17, 1906.

*Jaensch Vetrica*. Grown by Mr. Gustav Jaensch.

**18120. PERSEA GRATISSIMA. Avocado.**

From Bayamon, P. R. Presented by Mr. A. B. Mitchell. Received March 19, 1906.

*Mitchell*. "A very superior variety. Size, large; color of flesh, dark yellow; flavor, excellent. Base, usually slender. Seed, medium to large." (*Barrett*.)

**18121. CUCURBITA PEPO. Pumpkin.**

From Australia. Presented by Mr. M. Levek, of Washington, D. C. Received March 18, 1906.

Thought by Mr. Levek to be a variety known as *Turk's Crown*.

**18122. RICINUS COMMUNIS. Castor-oil plant.**

From Santiago de las Vegas, Cuba. Received through Prof. C. F. Baker, March 19, 1906.

A large-seeded variety.