

## 108828 to 108831—Continued.

108828. *PAULLINIA LEOCARPA* Griseb. Sapindaceae.

No. 2950. Antimano, near Caracas, January 12, 1935. A climbing shrub with pinnate leaves having ovate-oblong leaflets 3 to 4 inches long, racemes of small white flowers, and purple-black seeds. Native to the West Indies.

108829. *PASSIFLORA LIGULARIS* Juss. Passifloraceae. Sweet granadilla.

No. 2947. Caracas, January 8, 1935. *Parche amarilla*. This is said to be the best of the genus and is sold in the market. The light-yellow or green-yellow fruit is egg-shaped and has a rather thin rind. The seed is surrounded by an edible translucent arillus which is very refreshing.

For previous introduction see 102612.

108830. *POLYGONUM* sp. Polygonaceae.

No. 2949. From near Caracas, January 12, 1935. Found in shaded places near the stream. A plant with reddish stems.

108831. *POLYGONUM HYDROPIPEROIDES* Michx. Polygonaceae.

No. 2948. *Barbasco blanco*. From Antimano, near Caracas, January 12, 1935. Native to the southeastern United States.

108832. *PORLIERIA ANGUSTIFOLIA* (Engelm.) A. Gray. Zygophyllaceae.

From Texas. Seeds presented by H. B. Parks, San Antonio, through F. J. Crider, Tucson, Ariz. Received February 11, 1935.

A shrub or small tree, native to northern Mexico, with compound leaves, the 8 to 12 linear leaflets about one-half inch long and the small sweet-scented purple flowers about one-half inch across.

108833. *PRUNUS SALASII* Standl. Amygdalaceae.

From Guatemala. Seeds presented by the Director, Department of Agriculture, Guatemala City. Received February 11, 1935.

*Carreto*. A tropical evergreen cherry which is native to the highlands of Antigua, Guatemala. The light-green, leathery, narrow, oblong leaves are 3 to 5 inches long, and the small white flowers are in racemes about 6 inches long.

For previous introduction see 98929.

108834. *TRIFOLIUM* sp. Fabaceae.

From Africa. Seeds presented by Raymond Hoot, Nanyuki, Kenya. Received February 11, 1935.

A locally grown variety of medium purple clover.

108835 to 108977.

From the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics. Seeds collected in Turkistan by H. L. Westover and C. R. Enlow, Bureau of Plant Industry. Received December 7, 1934.

Introduced for Department specialists.

108835 to 108840. *AEGILOPS* spp. Poaceae. Grass.

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108835. *AEGILOPS CRASSA* Boiss.

No. 99. Near Tashkent, June 13, 1934. A decumbent annual grass with with flat leaves. Native to Asia Minor.

For previous introduction see 107479.

108836 to 108838. *AEGILOPS CYLINDRICA* Host.

For previous introduction see 94301.

108836. No. 93. Between Milbush and Tashkent, Uzbekistan, June 14, 1934.

108837. No. 102. Near Arice, Uzbekistan, June 13, 1934.

108838. No. 108. Between Milbush and Tashkent, June 14, 1934.

108839 and 108840. *AEGILOPS TRIUNCIALIS* L.

Collected June 19, 1934, on clay flats west of Ashkhabad, Turkmenistan. A thickly branched annual grass with ascending stems and flat rough leaves. Native to dry places in the Mediterranean region.

For previous introduction see 107478.

108839. No. 96. 108840. No. 97.

108841 to 108843. *AELUROPIUS LITTORALIS* (Gouan) Parl. Poaceae.

From the Karakum Desert near Ashkhabad, June 18, 1934.

A good grazing plant found in moist places, as well as in very dry situations.

For previous introduction see 108315.

108841. No. 90. 108842. No. 95.

108843. No. 15. Collected from plants growing along the railroad near the Syr Darya and Milbush, Uzbekistan, June 13, 1934.

108844. *AGRIOPHYLLUM LATIFOLIUM* Fisch. and Mey. Chenopodiaceae.

No. 114. From the Repetek Sand Desert Station, Turkmenistan. A much-branched annual with ovate or subcordate, long-cuspidate leaves and small inconspicuous flowers in globular axillary clusters. Native to sandy deserts in Turkistan.

For previous introduction see 101976.

108845 to 108849. *AGROPYRON* spp. Poaceae. Grass.

108845. *AGROPYRON ORIENTALE* (L.) Roem. and Schult.

No. 110. June 18, 1934. From the edge of the desert near Ashkhabad. An annual much-branched grass, prostrate-ascending in habit, native to sandy places in Asia Minor and Turkistan.

For previous introduction see 106830.

108846. *AGROPYRON ORIENTALE LASIANTHUM* Boiss.

No. 126. June 26, 1934. From the Repetek Sand Desert Station, Turkmenistan. An annual grass thickly branched at the base, with numerous mostly prostrate stems scarcely 3 inches high. Native to Asia Minor and northern Africa.

For previous introduction see 98528.