

129543 and 129544.

From Africa. Seeds presented by R. C. Marshall, Conservator of Forests, Accra, Gold Coast. Received June 17, 1938.

129543. *ANNONA SENEGALENSIS* Pers. Annonaceae.

A shrub or small tree, sometimes 20 feet high, native to both eastern and western tropical Africa. The oval, blue-green, leathery leaves are up to 5 inches long, and the orange-yellow, edible fruits, over 1 inch in diameter, contain an aromatic dark-red pulp which suggests that of the cherimoya of tropical America.

For previous introduction see 124979.

129544. *MALACANTHA ALNIFOLIA* (Baker) Pierre. Sapotaceae.

A tropical African shrub or tree with milky juice and leathery, broadly obovate, coarse-veined leaves about 7 inches long. The light-yellow, hard, durable wood is termite-proof and is used in western Africa for veranda posts and tool handles.

129545 and 129546. GOSSYPIUM spp. Malvaceae. Cotton.

From China. Seeds presented by Dr. Yu Chio-Pao, Agricultural College, National Central University, Chungking. Received June 27, 1938.

129545. V₂ (virescent yellow leaf).

129546. V₁ (virescent yellow bud).

129547 to 129568. GOSSYPIUM spp. Malvaceae. Cotton.

From the British West Indies. Seeds presented by J. B. Hutchinson, Cotton Research Station, Trinidad, through the Empire Cotton Growing Corporation. Received June 16, 1938.

129547. *GOSSYPIUM ANOMALUM* Wawra and Peyr.

W. 1. A tropical African shrub up to 10 feet high, with rough branches, reddish flowers, and oval capsules about 1 inch long.

For previous introduction see 77172.

129548 and 129549. *GOSSYPIUM ARBOREUM* L.

129548. A-7. Variety *Cernuum*.

129549. *Humpi*. Variety *Typicum*.

129550 to 129555. *GOSSYPIUM BARBADENSE* L. **Sea-island cotton.**

Seed obtained originally from Piura, Peru.

129550. B. P. 4-2. No. 1. *Pardo*.

129551. B. P. 4-3. No. 2. *Pardo*.

129552. B. P. 4-4. No. 3. *Pardo*.

129553. B. P. 4-5. No. 4. *Pardo*.

129554. B. P. 4-6. No. 5. *Semiaspero*.

129555. B. P. 8-2.

129556. *GOSSYPIUM KLOTZSCHIANUM* Anderss.

A cotton related to *Gossypium barbadense*. Native to the Galápagos Islands.

129557 to 129566. *GOSSYPIUM RELIGIOSUM* L.

A cotton related to *Gossypium hirsutum*.

129557. R. A. 3-1. *Teclatal*, British Honduras.

129558. R. A. 8-4. *Gambia 10*.

129559. R. A. 8-5. *Gambia 11*.

129560. R. A. 8-6. *G. punctatum*, French West Africa.

129561. R. A. 8-9. *Faran Kada*, Nigeria.