

## 135268 to 135403—Continued

football-shaped, 10 inches in length; rind lemon, finely dotted green, coarsely netted; flesh green,  $1\frac{1}{4}$  inches thick, crisp, and good quality.

135339. No. 4904. From Khwajaebchajalak, October 17, 1939, at 7,000 feet altitude. Grown without irrigation. Fruit 10 by 6 inches; rind gold, smooth to slightly netted; flesh white, 2 inches thick, sweet, and rich. Good keeper.

135340. No. 4919. From Almar, October 19, 1939, at 3,000 feet altitude. Fruit subglobose, pointed at both ends, 10 inches in length; rind blotched green and gold brown, heavily netted; flesh green, 2 inches thick, firm, crisp, and sweet.

135341. No. 4927. From Maimana, October 21, 1939, at 3,000 feet altitude. Fruit football-shaped, 10 inches in length; rind green, heavily netted; flesh whitish, 2 inches thick, crisp, and sweet.

135342. No. 4932. From Andkhin, October 22, 1939, at 2,000 feet altitude. Fruit 12 by  $7\frac{1}{2}$  inches; rind smooth, gold splashed with dark green; flesh cream,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches thick, very sweet. Good keeper.

135343. No. 5033. From the foot of Shiba Pass, November 10, 1939. Fruit probably obtained from valley below. Fruit elongate, rounded, 12 by 7 inches; rind gold, coarsely netted; flesh white,  $2\frac{1}{4}$  inches thick, very sweet. Apparently has good keeping qualities.

135344 to 135346. CUCUMIS SATIVUS L. Cucurbitaceae. Cucumber.

135344. No. 4623. *Badrang*. From Kala Sarkari, September 8, 1939. Fruit 7 by 4 inches; rind russet; reticulated.

135345. No. 4723. *Badrang*. From Tukzar, September 15, 1939. Fruit 1 foot by 5 inches; rind russet; reticulated by cracking.

135346. No. 4980. *Badrang*. From Akcha, September 29, 1939. Fruit 1 foot by 4 inches; rind pale russet; not conspicuously netted.

135347 to 135349. CUCUMIS MELO L. Cucurbitaceae. Muskmelon.

135347. No. 4935. From Andkhin, September 24, 1939. Apparently naturalized in a field, plant usually 3 to 4 feet across; prolific. Fruit egg-shaped,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches in diameter; rind striped in 2 shades of green; tomentose; good keeper.

135348. No. 4976. From Balkh, October 29, 1939, at 1,500 feet altitude. Naturalized in field. Fruit ovoid, 4 inches long; rind pale green with broken stripes of dark green, hispid.

135349. No. 4994. From Balkh, October 31, 1939, naturalized. Fruit subglobose, 2 inches in length; rind yellow green with traces of narrow striping of grass green.

135350 to 135359. CUCURBITA MAXIMA Duchesne. Cucurbitaceae. Squash.

135350. No. 4710. From Tukzar, September 15, 1939. Fruit pear-shaped, 18 inches long; rind handsome salmon pink with narrow rib lines of green; flesh yellow,  $3\frac{1}{2}$  inches thick, insipid.

135351. No. 4900. From Khwajaebchajalak, September 17, 1939, at 7,000 feet altitude. Fruit slightly flattened, 14 inches in length; rind salmon pink; flesh yellow, 2 inches thick, fair quality.

135352. No. 4911. From Khwajaebchajalak, October 17, 1939, at 7,000 feet altitude. Fruit slightly flattened, 15 inches in length; rind obscurely ribbed, gray green; flesh yellow,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  inches thick, fair quality.

135353. No. 4921. From Alma. October 19, 1939, at 3,000 feet altitude. Fruit subglobose, slightly flattened, 18 inches in length; weight about 50 pounds; rind grayish green; flesh yellow, 3 inches thick, not very sweet.

135354. No. 5010. From Haibak, November 3, 1939. Fruit flattened, 10 by 5 inches, with large navel 3 inches across; rind grayish green with narrow stripes and blotches of paler green; flesh orange,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 2 inches thick, fairly sweet.