

## 146228 to 146253—Continued

146236. NC No. 9. Selection (F-4-35).  
 146237. NC No. 10. Selection (F-4-36).  
 146238. NC No. 11. Selection (F-4-3).  
 146239. NC No. 12. Selection (F-3-128).  
 146240. NC No. 13. Selection (F-4-31).  
 146241. NC No. 14. Selection (F-4-33).  
 146242. NC No. 15. Selection (F-4-19).  
 146243. NC No. 16. Selection (F-4-10).  
 146244. NC No. 17. Selection (F-3-129).  
 146245. NC No. 18. Selection (F-4-1).  
 146246. NC No. 19. Selection (F-4-18).  
 146247. NC No. 20. Selection (F-4-2).  
 146248. NC No. 21. Selection (F-4-28).  
 146249. NC No. 22. Selection (F-4-13).  
 146250. NC No. 23. Selection (F-4-15).  
 146251. NC No. 24. Selection (F-3-120).  
 146252. NC No. 25. Selection (F-4-12).  
 146253. NC No. 26. Selection (F-3-130).

## 146254 and 146255.

From Illinois. Seeds presented by Charles A. Heath, Chicago. Received June 17, 1943.

146254. *FELICIA ECHINATA* Nees. Asteraceae.

Introduced under the varietal name "paralia," for which a place of publication has not been found. A soft-wooded, asterlike shrub with mauve flower heads; native to South Africa.

146255. *SUTERA GRANDIFLORA* (Galpin) Hiern. Scrophulariaceae.

A shrubby perennial 1½ to 3 feet high, with hispid, oval-oblong leaves up to 1 inch long, and numerous mauve flowers about 1 inch long in terminal racemes; native to the Transvaal.

146256. *ELYTOSTACHYS TYPICA* McClure. Poaceae. **Bamboo.**

From Venezuela. Seeds presented by C. J. Marvex, Valencia. Received June 17, 1943.

A recently described species of bamboo, native to Venezuela, growing to heights of 20 to 35 feet. It is a clump-forming bamboo, and the branching habit of the culm is verticillate.

146257. *MEDICAGO SATIVA* L. Fabaceae. **Alfalfa.**

From Argentina. Seeds presented by Dr. W. E. Cross, Estación Experimental Agrícola de Tucumán, Tucumán. Received June 18, 1943.

Variety *Inverniza* No. 3.

146258. *TEPHROSIA NOCTIFLORA* Bojer (*Cracca noctiflora* (Bojer) Kuntze). Fabaceae.

From Argentina. Seeds presented by Enrique F. Schultz, Estación Experimental Agrícola de Tucumán, Tucumán. Received June 17, 1943.

A bushy, brown, hairy plant with compound leaves about 4 inches long, and lax terminal racemes of reddish flowers that open late in the afternoon. It is cultivated as a cover crop and is native to tropical Africa.

For previous introduction see 106954.