

- 240401 to 240403.** *GOSSYPIMUM* (hybrids). Malvaceae. **Cotton.**
 From France. Seeds presented by the Institut du Cotton et des Textiles Exotiques, Paris. Received May 29, 1957.
- 240401.** 'Bam 21'.
240402. 'Soumbe A25B9'.
240403. 'Tik'.
- 240404 to 240406.**
 From Sicily. Cuttings collected by F. G. Meyer, agricultural explorer, Plant Introduction Section, Crops Research Division, Beltsville, Md. Received May 29, 1957.
- 240404.** *EPHEDRA FRAGILIS* Desf. Gnetaceae. **Jointfir.**
 Col. No. 3989. Sandy banks, coastal road at Cinisi, west of Palermo. May 19, 1957. Much-branched, erect shrub; stems naked, green, to 6 feet high.
- 240405.** *FIGUS MAGNIFOLIA* F. Muell. Moraceae. **Fig.**
 Col. No. 3980. Botanical Garden, Palermo. Evergreen tree to 40 feet high; leaves to 8 inches long and 5 inches wide.
- 240406.** *HETEROMORPHA ARBORESCENS* Cham. & Schl. Apiaceae.
 Col. No. 3984. Botanical Garden, Palermo. May 18, 1957. Much-branched shrub to 10 feet high.
- 240407.** *PHASEOLUS ANGULARIS* (Willd.) W. F. Wight Fabaceae. **Adsuki bean.**
 From Japan. Seeds presented by the Laboratory of Plant Breeding, Hyogo Agricultural College, Sasayama, Hyogo. Received May 31, 1957.
- 240408.** *PASPALUM ALMUM* Chase Poaceae.
 From Argentina. Seeds presented by the Division de Exploraciones e Introduccion de Plantas, Buenos Aires. Received May 31, 1957.
 DEIP 16.282.
- 240409.** *CARTHAMUS TINCTORIUS* L. Asteraceae. **Safflower.**
 From Egypt. Seeds presented by the Plant Breeding Section, Giza, Orman. Received May 31, 1957.
 Grown as a winter crop during October and November; harvested during April.
- 240410 to 240417.**
 From Australia. Seeds presented by the Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organization, Canberra. Received May 31, 1957.
- 240410.** *ALYSICARPUS RUGOSUS* (Willd.) DC. Fabaceae.
 No. 16671. Originally from Southern Rhodesia.
- 240411.** *CROTALARIA BROWNEI* Bert. Fabaceae.
 No. 13377. Originally from Ceylon.
- 240412.** *CROTALARIA GRAHAMIANA* Wight & Arn.
 No. 13378. Originally from Ceylon.
- 240413.** *CROTALARIA SERICEA* Retz.
 Originally from Brisbane Station, Queensland, Australia.
- 240414.** *TRIFOLIUM* sp. Fabaceae.
 No. 18333. Originally from Uruguay.
- 240415.** *VICIA SATIVA* L. Fabaceae. **Common vetch.**
 No. 10380. Originally from Bulgaria.