

**254993 to 255017.**

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**254993. CALLISTEMON sp. Myrtaceae.**

Col. No. S-25. Streamside near Rylston Dam, New South Wales. Columnar shrub to 8 feet high.

**254994. EPACRIS IMPRESSA Labill. Epacridaceae.**

Col. No. S-7. Sunny roadside, Labertouche, Victoria. Slender upright shrub to 2 feet high, a so-called Australian heath; flowers along one side of stem, bright red, tubular to 1 inch long; foliage very stiff and prickly.

**254995. EUCALYPTUS (hybrid). Myrtaceae.**

Col. No. S-10. Waite Agricultural Institute, Adelaide, South Australia. A natural hybrid that comes true from seed. Tree to 25 feet high; flowers deep pinkish, larger and brighter than *E. erythronema*, the pistillate parent, which they resemble.

**254996. EUCALYPTUS BICOLOR A. Cunn.****Blackbox.**

Col. No. S-15. Murray River bank, Loxton, South Australia. Broad-headed tree 40 feet high; foliage grayish. Said to be tolerant of salty conditions.

**254997. EUCALYPTUS MACROCARPA Hook.**

Col. No. S-21. 'Rose of the West'. Garnet Hatley Garden, Horsham, Victoria. Plant straggly; flowers large, deep pink. One of the showiest species.

**254998. EUCALYPTUS NIPHOPHILA Maiden and Blakely**

Col. No. S-14. Guini Flat, Australian Commonwealth Territory. Elevation 5,200 feet. Tree to 20 feet high, twisted.

**254999. EUCALYPTUS STRICTA Sieb.**

Col. No. S-27. Khyber Pass, near Rylston, Western Australia. Mallee type, to 15 feet high; leaves glossy, narrow-lanceolate, to 4 inches long.

**255000. GREVILLEA sp. Proteaceae.**

Col. No. S-22. Western Australia. Compact spherical shrub to three feet high and three feet in diameter; flowers yellow, on 7 foot stems.

**255001. ISOPOGON sp. Proteaceae.**

Col. No. S-16. Moora-Gingin road, Western Australia. Rounded shrub to 2½ feet high; flowers pink, attractive.

**255002. KERAUDRENIA HILLII F. Muell. Sterculiaceae.**

Col. No. S-29. Dr. Blake's garden, Brisbane. Tree to 10 feet high with tendency to root sucker.

**255003. KERAUDRENIA INTEGRIFOLIA Steud.**

Col. No. S-26. Sandy garden soil, Queensland. Shrub to four feet high; flowers blue.

**255004 and 255005. LEPTOSPERMUM CORIACEUM Cheel. Myrtaceae.**

**255004.** Col. No. S-8. 'Green Tea Tree'. Sandy ridge south of Mildura Victoria. Bushy shrub to 6 feet high; flowers white.

**255005.** Col. No. S-11. Sandy roadside between Blanchetown and Waikerie, South Australia. Shrub to six feet high; flowers white.

**255006. LEPTOSPERMUM LUEHMANNII F. M. Bail.**

Col. No. S-28. Dr. Blake's garden, Brisbane, Queensland. Slender shrub to 8 feet high; flowers white; bark attractive, like *Lagerstroemia is indica*.