

INVENTORY.

28883 and 28884.

From Teneriffe, Canary Islands. Procured by Mr. Ross J. Hazeltine, American vice consul, from Señor Luis Diaz. Received October 3, 1910.

Cuttings of the following:

28883. *PRUNUS ARMENIACA* L. Apricot.
Yellow.
28884. *PRUNUS* sp. Plum.
Yellow. "One of the finest I have ever seen." (*Hazeltine.*)

28885. *HORDEUM SPONTANEUM* Koch. Barley.

From Haifa, Palestine. Presented by Mr. Aaron Aaronsohn, director, Jewish Agricultural Experiment Station. Received October 3, 1910.

28886. *SPONDIAS* sp.

From Mauritius. Presented by Mr. G. Regnard, Port Louis, Mauritius. Received October 14, 1910.

"This is much like the species *dulcis* as regards appearance of the tree and fruit, but not the seeds. The only specimen in Mauritius grows at the Botanical Gardens, Pamplemousses; it has not been classified and seems not to have been noticed." (*Regnard.*)

28887. *CARICA PAPAYA* L. Papaya.

From Camp Overton, Mindanao, Philippine Islands. Presented by Maj. Charles H. Muir, Twenty-third Infantry, Fort Clark, Tex., through Mr. E. C. Green, in charge, South Texas Plant Introduction Garden, Brownsville, Tex. Received October 3, 1910.

"This seed is from the best variety of this fruit I have ever met with in either the Philippines or Cuba; it is spoken of as the *Dapitan* by some and as the *Java* by others." (*Muir.*)

28888 to 28893. *VIGNA UNGUICULATA* (L.) Walp. Cowpea.

From the Province of Para, near the town of Bragança, Brazil. Presented by Mr. Walter Fischer, acting director, Campo de Cultura Experimental Paraense, Para, Brazil. Received October 3 and 4, 1910.

Seeds of the following:

28888. Large brown eye.
28889. Pinkish clay-colored seeds.
28890. Brownish clay-colored seeds.
28891. Reddish brown.
28892. Under color brownish clay thickly marked with purplish lines or marblings.
28893. Like the preceding, except that the ground color is almost completely obscured by the purple marblings.

"The two preceding numbers (I believe one of them is a hybrid with some speckled variety) are said to give a luxuriant growth of foliage, but further than this I heard nothing." (*Fischer.*)