

31780 to 31832—Continued.

31797. CICER ARIETINUM L.**Chick-pea.**

From Khokan, Russian Turkestan.

“(No. 1489a, September 28, 1910.) A small variety of chick-pea called *Oh-nagh*, apparently one of the more primitive strains of garbanzos. Grown on the rather alkaline lands around Khokan. Eaten boiled in soups and meat stews.” (*Meyer.*)

31798. CICER ARIETINUM L.**Chick-pea.**

From Khokan, Russian Turkestan.

“(No. 1490a, September 28, 1910.) A brown variety of chick-pea called *Kizil nagh*. Apparently a very primitive strain. Eaten like the preceding number, but retails at only half the price. May be tested as a forage crop on the alkaline lands of the warmer sections of the United States.” (*Meyer.*)

31799. VIGNA SINENSIS (Torner) Savi.**Cowpea.**

From Khotan, Chinese Turkestan.

“(No. 1491a, November 26, 1910.) A rather small variety of cowpea grown for human food. To be tested under irrigation in the desert regions of the United States.” (*Meyer.*)

31800. VIGNA SINENSIS (Torner) Savi.**Cowpea.**

From Karghalik, Chinese Turkestan.

“(No. 1492a, December 12, 1910.) A yellowish variety of cowpea called *Shou to*. To be tested like No. 1491a (S. P. I. No. 31799).” (*Meyer.*)

31801. VIGNA SINENSIS (Torner) Savi.**Cowpea.**

From Yarkand, Chinese Turkestan.

“(No. 1493a, December 18, 1910.) A rare local variety of cowpea, having brown mottled seeds. Eaten stewed with meats. To be tested like No. 1491a (S. P. I. No. 31799).” (*Meyer.*)

31802. GLYCINE HISPIDA (Moench) Maxim.**Soy bean.**

From Karghalik, Chinese Turkestan.

“(No. 1494a, December 12, 1910.) A large, green variety of soy bean called *Ching tou*, used when slightly salted and roasted as an appetizer before meals. To be tested like No. 1491a (S. P. I. No. 31799).” (*Meyer.*)

31803. GLYCINE HISPIDA (Moench) Maxim.**Soy bean.**

From Kashgar, Chinese Turkestan.

“(No. 1495a, October 23, 1910.) A black soy bean, used like No. 1494a (S. P. I. No. 31802), and also used to make bean curd. To be tried like No. 1491a (S. P. I. No. 31799).” (*Meyer.*)

31804. GLYCINE HISPIDA (Moench) Maxim.**Soy bean.**

From Karghalik, Chinese Turkestan.

“(No. 1496a, December 12, 1910.) A large, black soy bean called *Ghae tou*. Used like No. 1494a (S. P. I. No. 31802).” (*Meyer.*)

31805. PISUM SATIVUM L.**Pea.**

From San-Kia, Chinese Turkestan.

“(No. 1497a, November 17, 1910.) A small green pea called *Puchok*. Sown early on sandy lands, mostly between wheat. They are eaten boiled in soups and also ground and baked in bread. To be tested as a summer forage crop in the intermountain and Rocky Mountain regions or as a winter crop in moist, mild-winter sections of the United States.” (*Meyer.*)