

33800 to 33911—Continued.

"A shrub with more or less deciduous foliage, abounding in an aromatic resin, which in early times was used for incense. Flowers bright golden yellow, in the month of October lighting up the hills of the provinces of Aconcagua, Valparaiso, and Santiago." (*W. E. Safford.*)

Distribution.—A shrubby perennial found in sterile soil in the vicinities of Coquimbo and Valparaiso in Chile.

33873. GALIUM CHILENSE Hook. f.

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"(No. 892.) '*Relbun.*' From the interior of the province of Valdivia. A red-dye plant."

33874. GOCHNATIA RIGIDA Don.

"(No. 1089.) '*Mira.*' From the seacoast of Aconcagua."

Distribution.—A stiff shrub found on the slopes of the Andes in the vicinity of Valparaiso in Chile, and in the province of Mendoza in Argentina.

33875. GREIGIA LANDBECKI (Lechl.) Philippi.

"(No. 1334.) '*Chupones.*' '*Nochas.*' This is the spineless variety whose fibrous leaves are used for making ropes, baskets, etc."

33876. GREIGIA LANDBECKI (Lechl.) Philippi.

"(No. 852.) '*Chupon.*' '*Nocha.*' This is from Llanquihue, south of Chiloe, and may not be the seedless Valdivia variety."

33877. LARDIZABALA BITERNATA Ruiz and Pavon.

"(No. 894.) '*Coquil.*'"

"A climber, with long, tough stems suitable for cordage." (*W. E. Safford.*)

"A beautiful vine with edible fruit; the flowers are not large but strange in form and of rare color. The vine is very useful and serves when wet to tie bales, etc. That of central Chile only reaches a thickness of about half an inch, as they are cut frequently; in the south I have seen them several inches in diameter."

33878. LAURELIA SEMPERVIRENS (Ruiz and Pav.) Tul.

(*Laurelia aromatica* Juss.)

"(No. 846.) '*Laurel.*' Medicinal."

"A handsome tree of southern Chile belonging to the Monimiaceæ. The wood is durable and is never bored by insects. Much used for flooring. It would be fine for planting on our northwest coast." (*W. E. Safford.*)

33879. LAURELIA SEMPERVIRENS (Ruiz and Pav.) Tul.

(*Laurelia aromatica* Juss.)

"(No. 1134.) '*Laurel.*' From the Antuco Volcano."

See No. 33878 for description.

33880. LITHREA CAUSTICA (Mol.) Hook. and Arn.

(*Lithrea venenosa* Miers.)

"(No. 1000.) '*Litre.*' From near the seacoast, Maule. A new dwarf, round-growing, ornamental evergreen; grows beehive shaped. The covering of these seeds contains grease or wax."

33881. LITHREA CAUSTICA (Mol.) Hook. and Arn.

(*Lithrea venenosa* Miers.)

"(No. 1085.) '*Molle.*' From the seacoast of Aconcagua."

See No. 33698 for description.