

54709 to 54725—Continued.

54713. "*Inkyo*. An early-flowering variety with medium-sized white flowers and large fruits."

54714. "*Joshu*. A midseason variety, with small, light-red, double flowers and large fruits."

54715. "*Kichirobei*. A midseason variety with medium-sized white flowers followed by large fruits."

53716. "*Ko mume*. A midseason variety with rather small white flowers and very small fruits."

For previous introduction, see S. P. I. No. 45881.

54717. "*Koshu*. A rather late-flowering variety producing small white flowers and very small fruits."

54718. "*Masui*. A late-flowering variety with rather small white flowers; the fruits are large."

54719. "*Rinshu*. A double-flowered variety, with medium-sized, light-red flowers produced late in the season. The fruits are large."

For previous introduction, see S. P. I. No. 45876.

54720 and 54721. "*Shidarc*."

54720. "A red-flowered form with drooping branches and rather small light-red flowers produced late in the season."

54721. "A white-flowered midseason form with drooping branches, rather small flowers, and small fruits."

54722. "*Shira Kaga*. A variety with medium-sized, clear-white flowers produced rather late in the season. The fruits are large."

For previous introduction, see S. P. I. No. 45880.

54723. "*Tama mume*. A midseason variety producing medium-sized white flowers with green calyxes. The rather large fruits are clear green."

54724. "*Unryu*. An early-flowering double variety suitable as an ornamental pot plant. The very crooked branches bear medium-sized white flowers."

54725. "*Yoro*. A rather late-flowering variety producing rather small light-red flowers and medium-sized fruits."

For previous introduction, see S. P. I. No. 45877.

54726. *HYDNOCARPUS ANTHELMINTHICA* Pierre. Flacourtiaceæ.

Maikrabao.

From Chiangmai, Siam. Seeds collected by J. F. Rock, Agricultural Explorer of the United States Department of Agriculture. Received February 25, 1922.

"(December 29, 1921.) This is a large tree about 50 to 80 feet in height, found along stream beds north of Chiangmai in northern Siam, and is apparently a new variety. It differs from the southern Siamese form in the fruit, which is chestnut brown and neither velvety nor strongly lenticellate. The staminate flowers are on long pedicels and have no rudimentary ovary, but the pistillate flowers, which are on shorter pedicels and occur in the axils of young (this year's) shoots, have five short sterile anthers. The fruits are from 11 to 12 inches in circumference and contain from 20 to 35 seeds. They ripen in November, but fruits may be found on the trees all the year round." (Rock.)

This tree yields an oil similar to that of *Taraktogenos kurzii*; the latter is, however, the source of the true chaulmoogra oil.

54727. *AMPELOCISSUS IMPERIALIS* (Miquel) Planch. Vitaceæ.
(*Vitis imperialis* Miquel.)

From Buitenzorg, Java. Seeds presented by Dr. W. M. Docters van Leeuwen, director, Botanic Gardens. Received February 18, 1922.