

56128 to 56141—Continued.

56130. *CASTANOPSIS HYSTRIX* A. DC.

"(No. 6716. October, 1922.) Collected in the vicinity of Teng yueh."

56131. *CHAENOMELES* sp. Malaceæ.

Chinese quince.

"(November 1, 1922.) A wild quince collected on the Puerhfu Plain, near Puerhfu, and sent to me by Miss Clara Petersen, a missionary of Puerhfu."

56132. *DIOSPYROS* sp. Diospyraceæ.

Persimmon.

"(No. 2872. Puerhfu. November 1, 1922.) A large tree 60 feet in height, with a huge spreading crown. According to Miss Clara Petersen, who sent me the seeds, the fruits are small and very sweet. This is also a fine shade tree."

56133. *DIOSPYROS* sp. Diospyraceæ.

Persimmon.

"(No. 6717. October 23, 1922.) A wild persimmon tree 20 to 25 feet high, which grows in dense forests between Menglieh and Manchi, at an altitude of 6,000 feet. The very numerous oblong yellow fruits are the size of crab apples and sweet."

56134. *DIOSPYROS* sp. Diospyraceæ.

Persimmon.

"(No. 6719. October, 1922.) A tree 35 feet high, with few ascending branches, found on the summit ridge on the road from Hsiangta to Manchi, four days' journey southeast of Tengyueh, at an altitude of 7,000 feet. The oblong, velvety, rich-yellow fruits are large for a wild species, being 2 inches in diameter, and the very sweet flesh incloses large seeds."

56135. *MALUS* sp. Malaceæ.

Apple.

"(No. 6721. October 30, 1922.) A much-branched tree 35 to 40 feet high, collected in the mountains of the Schweli Basin near Lungling, at an altitude of 6,700 feet. The foliage grows down to the ground, and the lanceolate leaves are dark green above and silvery white beneath. The somewhat ovoid greenish yellow fruits are 2½ inches in diameter, with very fragrant but very sour, firm flesh."

56136. *MALUS* sp. Malaceæ.

Apple.

"(November 1, 1922.) A small, sour, hard apple found wild in the mountains a half day's journey from Puerhfu, at an altitude of about 6,000 feet. These seeds were sent to me by Miss Clara Petersen, missionary, of Puerhfu."

56137 to 56141. *PYRUS* spp. Malaceæ.

Pear.

56137. *PYRUS* sp.

"(November 1, 1922.) A wild pear from the mountains near Puerhfu, where it grows at an altitude of about 6,000 feet. The fruits are globose, brown, and spotted, and of very sweet flavor."

56138. *PYRUS* sp.

"(November 1, 1922.) Collected half a day's journey from Puerhfu, in the mountains. The fruit is large, several inches in diameter, juicy, and contains only one or two seeds."

56139 to 56141. "The following wild pears were collected in the mountains near Puerhfu and sent by Miss Clara Petersen, November 1, 1922."

56139. *PYRUS* sp.

56140. *PYRUS* sp.

"A small brown juicy pear."

56141. *PYRUS* sp.

"A small round pear with brown skin and juicy flesh. The tree is large."