

## 59403 to 59642—Continued.

## 59625. RHODODENDRON sp.

No. 11408 (fruit), 8223 (flowers). Saba, Likiang Snow Range. November, 1923. One of the finest species, 15 to 20 feet high, found in larch forests at an altitude of 11,000 to 11,500 feet. The oval, acute, subcordate leaves are glabrous on both sides and pale beneath. The large, pink flowers, produced in large corymbs, are faintly fragrant.

## 59626. RHODODENDRON sp.

No. 11418. November, 1923. A shrub 3 feet high growing in pine forests of the Likiang Snow Range at an altitude of 10,000 to 11,000 feet. The elliptical-oval, green leaves are glabrous on both sides, and the large, purple-lavender flowers are produced on slender pedicels.

## 59627. RHODODENDRON sp.

No. 11429. November, 1923. A handsome species 6 feet high growing on the alpine slopes among rocks on the Likiang Snow Range at an altitude of 14,000 feet. The oval, glabrous leaves are dotted beneath, and the petioles and stems are carmine purple. The flowers are large and red.

## 59628. RHODODENDRON sp.

No. 11452. November, 1923. A tree 8 to 10 feet high found in the Sungkwe Mountains, south of Likiang, at an altitude of 11,000 feet. The oblong-ovate leaves are densely covered beneath with cinnamon-brown tomentum. The flowers are large and white.

## 59629. RHODODENDRON sp.

No. 11453. November, 1923. A shrub 8 feet high found on the Sungkwe Mountains south of Likiang at an altitude of 11,000 feet. The oblong, acute, aromatic leaves are green on both sides but dotted with brown beneath. The flowers are pale pink.

## 59630. RHODODENDRON sp.

No. 11454. Sungkwe Mountains. November, 1923. A shrub 8 feet high found at an altitude of 11,000 feet. The leaves are coriaceous and pale yellow beneath. The flowers are large and white.

## 59631. RHODODENDRON sp.

No. 11455. Sungkwe Mountains, south of Likiang. November, 1923. An aromatic shrub 1 to 3 feet high found among rocks at an altitude of 11,000 feet. The small, elliptical leaves are covered with pale-brown pubescence beneath, and the flowers are white.

## 59632. RHODODENDRON sp.

No. 11460. November, 1923. A shrub 16 feet high growing on the alpine slopes of the Likiang Snow Range at an altitude of 13,000 feet. The very large, oblong leaves are glossy green above and cinnamon brown beneath. The flowers are large and produced in large corymbs.

## 59633. RHODODENDRON sp.

No. 11461. November, 1923. A shrub 5 feet high found on the alpine slopes of the Likiang Snow Range at an altitude of 14,000 feet. The oval, acute, white to cream-colored leaves are faintly pubescent. The flowers are large and white.

## 59634. RHODODENDRON sp.

No. 11468. November, 1923. A shrub 2 feet high growing on the alpine, rocky slopes of the Likiang Snow Range at an altitude of 14,000 feet. The oval leaves are brown beneath; the flowers are white, tubular, and fragrant.

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## 59635. RHODODENDRON sp.

No. 11470. November, 1923. A tree 15 feet high found in fir forests on the alpine slopes of the Likiang Snow Range at an altitude of 14,500 feet. The oblong, acute leaves are pale tomentose beneath, and the flowers are white.

## 59636. RHODODENDRON sp.

No. 11471. November, 1923. A shrub 3 to 4 feet high found in fir forests on the alpine slopes of the Likiang Snow Range at an altitude of 14,500 feet. The leaves are oblong acute and are covered beneath with pale-brown tomentum. The flowers are large and pink.

## 59637. RHODODENDRON sp.

No. 11473. November, 1923. A shrub 4 feet high found on the alpine slopes of the Likiang Snow Range at an altitude of 14,000 feet. The oblong-ovate leaves are pale brown silky beneath. The flowers are white.

## 59638. RHODODENDRON RACEMOSUM Franch.

No. 11476. November, 1923. A shrub 1½ feet high growing with pines on the dry, rocky limestone range opposite the Likiang Snow Range. The leaves are oval and dotted with gray beneath. The flowers are small and red.

## 59639. ROSA sp. Rosaceae. Rose.

No. 11218. October, 1923. A climber growing in the Salwin Valley, Champutong, at an altitude of 7,000 feet. The flowers, 2 inches in diameter, are rich red.

## 59640. SCABIOSA sp. Dipsacaceae.

No. 11406. November, 1923. A herb, found in alpine meadows at Saba, Likiang Snow Range, at an altitude of 11,000 feet, with a rosette of lanceolate leaves and small flowers produced in drooping, white, globose heads on long peduncles.

## 59641. SOPHORA DAVIDII (Franch.) Komarov (S. vicifolia Hance). Fabaceae.

December, 1923. A spiny shrub, which is a prolific fruiter, 6 to 10 feet high, most common in the arid region of the Mekong, north of Yangtze, and in the Atuntze Valley, at an altitude of 8,000 to 10,000 feet. The leaves are small. This shrub forms the sole food for goats and sheep of this region.

## 59642. (Undetermined.)

No. 11009. October, 1923. A plant 2 to 3 feet high found in the alpine meadows of Tsechung. The flowers are yellow and have greenish veins.

## 59643 to 59648.

From Soledad, Cienfuegos, Cuba. Cuttings collected by David Fairchild, Bureau of Plant Industry. Received April 7, 1924. Quoted notes by Doctor Fairchild.

This collection was made at the Cuban Gardens, maintained by Harvard University.

## 59643. ANTIGONON GUATEMALENSE Meisn. Polygonaceae.

"The globular heads of this plant appear to be a deeper red than those of the ordinary type. Since the typical form is one of the most desirable climbers in Florida, this should be grown there for comparison with the common type."

## 59644. HIBISCUS ROSA-SINENSIS L. Malvaceae.

"Var. *Hedda*. An attractive single, pure-white variety."

## 59645 and 59646. MANGIFERA INDICA L. Anacardiaceae. Mango.