

## 4915-4946—Continued.

4940.

Smoke plant.

4941.

**Marguerite.**

A perennial with large, single white flowers. Distributed.

4942. HOVEA.

Blue mixed. Distributed.

4943.

**Scarlet grevillea.**

A shrub, in dry situations.

4944. BANKSIA GRANDIS.

**Bull banksia.**

A handsome tree.

4945.

An annual with white flowers.

4946.

A dwarf plant like *Banksia*, with long, serrated leaves.

## 4947-4962.

A collection of Mexican species of *Physalis*. Received March 27, 1900. Presented by Dr. Edward Palmer.

4947. PHYSALIS.

From Zacatecas, Mexico. "Fruit the size of a cherry; in color pea green to a yellow tint; quite sticky; used with red peppers in sauce to neutralize the bad effect of excessive use of red pepper." (*Palmer.*)

4948. PHYSALIS.

From San Luis Potosi, Mexico. "A fine species, with a rather flat fruit, plum-colored at base, solid and purplish when ripe." (*Palmer.*)

4949. PHYSALIS.

From Durango, Mexico. "The fruit has a fine aroma; is edible raw; very prolific, of good size, and worthy of cultivation." (*Palmer.*)

4950. PHYSALIS.

From Zacatecas, Mexico. "A species with husk entirely covering the fruit and extending above. Fruit is round and plum-colored." (*Palmer.*)

4951. PHYSALIS ALKENGI.

From Mexico. "Fruit edible raw, of fine flavor." (*Palmer.*)

4952. PHYSALIS.

From San Luis Potosi, Mexico.

4953. PHYSALIS.

From San Luis Potosi, Mexico.

4954. PHYSALIS FENDLERI.

From Acapulco, Mexico. "Used in soups, gravies, and stuffings for fowls. This fruit is found all the year round in the markets of Acapulco." (*Palmer.*)