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- CITRUS. 24652. Seed from Dr. Trabut, Mustapha-Alger, Algeria, Feb. 5. White orange. Sent to greenhouse for propagation.
- CUCURBITA MAXIMA. 24660. From Milan, Italy. Purchased from Fratelli Ingegnoli, Feb. 3. Venetian squash. "A large squash with thick flesh and small cavity; of good quality and the best variety seen in the streets of Venice where it is sold baked in halves." (Dr. E. F. Smith.) This seed seems to combine several varieties of squash.
- ELAEIS MELANOCOCCA. 24589. Seeds from Isaac A. Manning, Cartagena, Colombia, Jan. 15. "A palm whose stem creeps along the ground and bears a tuft of large pinnate leaves with strong, prickly stalks. The flowers are borne in a large head consisting of numerous little branches bearing minute flowers. Its fruits are bright red; the seeds black. A native of the primeval woods along the upper branches of the Amazon in the provinces of Para and Rio Negro, Brazil."
- FRAGARIA. 24654-56. Seeds from Jose D. Husbands, Lima-vida, Chile, Feb. 5. 24654. "Light red, prolific, hardy and sweet, good flavor; ripens quickly and becomes soft, bad shipper." 24655. "White sorts, mixed; fine flavor; extra firm fleshed, very large size, extra prolific, early and quick ripener, hardy, good shipper. Thrives in worst soils (clays) with little moisture. Fine sorts to work on as a base for selections." 24656. "White, same fruit as 24655 with the exception that they are uniform in size and shape; fruit somewhat smaller; some have pale pink tint at top."
- GLYCINE HISPIDA. 24641-643. Three varieties of soybeans from Taihoku, Formosa. Presented by Mr. I. Kawakami, Jan. 21.
- GOURLIEA CHILENSIS. 24631. Seeds from Dr. A. Robertson Proschowski, Jan. 28. "Tree 12-15 high; grows at