

Flacourtia rukam (Flacourtiaceae), 51772. From Bangkok, Siam. Seeds collected by Mr. J. F. Rock, agricultural explorer. "A handsome tree with small edible berries which make fine preserves. Native to Malaya." (Rock.)

An unarmed tree with pubescent young branches, glabrous coriaceous leaves 3 to 5 inches long and $1\frac{1}{4}$ to 2 inches wide, and 4-flowered umbels. The tree is much cultivated for its fruits, the size of a large cherry. (Adapted from Hooker, Flora of British India, vol. 1, p. 192.)

Hylocereus sp. (Cactaceae), 51763. From Bogota, Colombia. Seeds collected by Mr. Wilson Popenoe, agricultural explorer. "No. 510a. 'Pitahaya blanca' (white pitahaya), from the Bogota Market. A rare edible-fruited cactus cultivated in Cundinamarca, probably at altitudes of 4,000 to 5,000 feet. The fruits are elliptic and rather slender in outline, about 4 inches long, light yellow externally, containing a quantity of white, translucent flesh in which small black seeds are imbedded. The flavor and quantity of the fruit are rather better than those of other pitahayas I have seen." (Popenoe.)

Jagera speciosa (Sapindaceae), 51806. From Singapore, Straits Settlements. Seeds collected by Mr. J. F. Rock, agricultural explorer. "A small tree, native to Malaya and New Guinea, with trilocular fruits which are borne in long pendent racemes. The tree is about 20 feet in height and quite attractive on account of the pinnate foliage and orange-red fruits which are much sought for by the natives." (Rock.)

Mangifera odorata (Anacardiaceae), 51774. From Bangkok, Siam. Seeds collected by Mr. J. F. Rock, agricultural explorer. "A large tree with edible green fruits larger than the ordinary mangos, with a very strong odor. Sold on the market in Singapore." (Rock.)

"This interesting relative of the cultivated mango is indigenous to the Island of Malacca, the home of most of the species of *Mangifera*. At Singapore it is called 'kuwini.' The name 'bumbum' appears to be applied to it in Java. It is a tall tree, said to attain a height of 80 to 100 feet, the trunk and crown resembling those of *M. indica*. It is glabrous throughout, or very obscurely pubescent on the panicle; the leaves are 6 to 12 inches long, and 2 to 4 inches broad.