

- PAEONIA MLOKOSSEWITSCHI.** 27674. From Tiflis, Caucasus. A rare native Caucasian peony, herbaceous, bearing yellow flowers. To be employed in creating a strain of double, yellow-flowered herbaceous peonies. (Meyer's introduction.)
- PASPALUM SP.** 27576. From Para, Brazil. Presented by Mr. Walter Fischer. "This grass is the first to take possession of clearings and is much relished by cattle, and consequently highly valued by the natives. It grows with astonishing rapidity, throwing out runners 20 to 30 feet in length in a very short time. Its height when in flower is 2 to 3 feet. For Florida it would probably make an excellent sand binder and pasture grass. According to Dr. Huber, of Para, this grass has never been named and it is not known whether it is indigenous or introduced. From its behavior it would appear to be introduced." (Fischer.) For distribution later.
- POPULUS SPP.** 27721-723. From Tiflis, Caucasus. 27721. **POPULUS ALBA.** A tall growing, very pyramidal poplar, having a white trunk. 27722. **POPULUS ALBA.** A well-known pyramidal poplar, coming originally from Turkestan. Often confused with, yet distinct from, *P. alba pyramidalis*. Quite resistant to canker. 27723. **POPULUS SP.** A tall poplar of very spreading habits and having silvery white bark. Grows very fast. Apparently a native of the Caucasus. (Meyer's introductions.)
- PRUNUS MICROCARPA.** 27337. Seeds from Tiflis, Caucasus. Plants under No. 27303. A shrubby, small fruited cherry, flowering early in spring. To be tried as an ornamental flowering shrub and perhaps also as a stock for stone fruits. (Meyer's introduction.)
- PTEROCARYA FRAXINIFOLIA.** 27768. From Elk Grove, California. Presented by Messrs. Tribble Bros., through Mr. Peter Bisset. "An ornamental, deciduous tree, attaining a height of 60 feet, of rapid growth, with spreading branches, graceful, dark green foliage, decorated in summer and fall with long drooping racemes of light green fruits. It is hardy as far north as Massachusetts." (Extract from Bailey's Cyclopedia of American Horticulture.)
- PUNICA GRANATUM.** 27772-774. From Tiflis, Caucasus. 27772. Fruits of medium size, globular, compressed on the sides. Rind light red; flesh rosy-white, sweet. A medium prolific bearer. 27773. Fruits very large; rind thick, red; flesh dark red, juicy, of sour-sweet taste; seeds large. A very prolific bearer. 27774. A native Caucasian variety called "Sevalan Nar". (Meyer's introductions.)