

182646 to 182648.

From Guatemala. Seeds collected by R. C. Moncure, Office of Foreign Agricultural Relations, Washington, D. C. Received June 3, 1949.

182646. *CAPSICUM FRUTESCENS* L. Solanaceae. **Redpepper.**
 182647. *PHASEOLUS VULGARIS* L. Fabaceae. **Common bean.**
 182648. *CROTALARIA* sp. Fabaceae.

182649 to 182658.

From China. Seeds presented by the Lu Shan Botanical Garden, Kuling, Kiu-kiang. Received Feb. 18, 1949.

182649. *ACER AMPLUM* var. *TIENTAIENSE* Rehder. Aceraceae.
 182650. *ACER FARGESII* Franch.
 182651. *CAMELLIA RETICULATA* Lindl. Theaceae.
 182652. *ILEX DUBIA* var. *PSEUDOMACROPODA* Loes. Aquifoliaceae.
 182653. *KETELEERIA EVELYNIANA* Mast. Pinaceae.
 182654. *MAGNOLIA DENUDATA* Desr. Magnoliaceae.
 182655. *MAGNOLIA OFFICINALIS* var. *BILOBA* Rehd. & Wils.
 182656. *RHAMNUS CHEKIANGENSIS* Cheng. Rhamnaceae.

Shrub up to 2 mm. high; leaves oblong to oblong-obovate, 1.2 to 4 cm. long, white tomentose beneath; fruit reddish-purple, 5 mm. long.

182657. *RHODODENDRON MICROPHYTON* Franch. Ericaceae.
 182658. *SLOANEA SINENSIS* (Hance) Hu. Elaeocarpaceae.

182659 to 182676.

From Syria and Lebanon. Seeds collected by Jack R. Harlan, Agricultural Explorer, Bureau of Plant Industry, Soils, and Agricultural Engineering, Beltsville, Md. Received June 7, 1949.

Collected in 1948. From Lebanon unless otherwise indicated.

- 182659 and 182660. *HORDEUM DISTICHON* L. Poaceae. **Barley.**

182659. No. 9732. Arnet, near Damascus, Syria. Oct. 17.

182660. No. 9924. Al-Marj, Zahle. Nov. 2.

182661. *HORDEUM VULGARE* L.

No. 9942. *Romi*. Al-Marj, Zahle.

- 182662 and 182663. *HORDEUM DISTICHON* L.

182662. No. 9943. *Bikai*. Al-Marj, Zahle.

182663. No. 9990. Andjar-Bekaa. Italian type.

- 182664 to 182676. *TRITICUM AESTIVUM* L. Poaceae. **Common wheat.**

182664. No. 9821. *Salamouni*. Damascus, Syria. Oct. 20.

182665. No. 9915. *Bekaa*. Chtura. Nov. 2. Local type.

182666 to 182672. From Al-Marj, Zahle. Nov. 2.

182666. No. 9918. *Bikaii*. 182670. No. 9934. *Bikaii*.

182667. No. 9923. *Hourani*. 182671. No. 9935. *Hourani*.

182668. No. 9925. *Italian*. 182672. No. 9945. *Bikaii*.

182669. No. 9929. *Hourani*.

182673 to 182676. From Andjar-Bekaa. Nov. 2.

182673. No. 9979. *Salamouni*. 182675. No. 9983. *Salamouni*.

182674. No. 9982. *Hourah*. 182676. No. 9993. *Italian*.