

223431 to 223474.

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223431. *ALLIUM CEPA* L. Liliaceae.

Onion.

Col. No. 1184. 'Piaz'. Faizabad, Badakhshan. Sept. 25, 1954. Elevation 4,000 feet.

223432. *AVENA SATIVA* L. Poaceae.

Common oats.

Col. No. 1124. 'Lass'. Khash, Jurm, Badakhshan. Sept. 21, 1954. Elevation 6,700 feet.

223433. *CICER ARIETINUM* L. Fabaceae.

Chickpea.

Col. No. 1094. 'Nakhod'. Market, Faizabad, Badakhshan. Sept. 19, 1954.

223434 to 223436. *CUCUMIS MELO* L. Cucurbitaceae.

Muskmelon.

223434. Col. No. 1086. 'Kharbozeh'. Kisham, Badakhshan, Sept. 18, 1954. Elevation 3,300 feet. Fruit oval, yellow; flesh yellowish white; flavor sweet.

223435. Col. No. 1100. 'Kharbozeh'. Market, Faizabad, Badakhshan. Sept. 19, 1954. Elevation 4,000 feet. Fruit oval, green; flesh whitish yellow, sweet.

223436. Col. No. 1155. Jurm, Badakhshan. Sept. 22, 1954. Elevation 4,800 feet. Fruit oval, green; flesh green.

223437. *CUCUMIS SATIVUS* L.

Cucumber.

Col. No. 1099. 'Badreng' or 'Khair'. Market, Faizabad, Badakhshan. Sept. 19, 1954. Elevation 400 feet.

223438. *CUCURBITA MAXIMA* Duchesne Cucurbitaceae.

Squash.

Col. No. 1153. 'Kadoo'. Jurm, Badakhshan. Sept. 22, 1954. Elevation 4,800 feet.

223439. *ERIANTHUS* sp. Poaceae.

Col. No. 1339. 'Monj'. Laghman, Eastern Province. Oct. 13, 1954. Elevation 3,000 feet. Large perennial bunchgrass growing to a height of 5 feet.

223440. *FORTUYNIA* sp. Brassicaceae.

Col. No. 163. Near Dilaram, Girishk, May 25, 1954. Elevation 2,800 feet. Desert plant; stems green; leaves gray green, semisucculent; sometimes grazed.

223441. *GOSSYPIUM* sp. Malvaceae.

Col. No. 1269. Taliq-An, Kataghan. Oct. 2, 1954. Elevation 3,000 feet. From the U.S.S.R.

223442. *GOSSYPIUM* sp.

Col. No. 1278. Khanabad, Kataghan. Oct. 3, 1954. Elevation 2,000 feet. From the U.S.S.R.

223443. *GOSSYPIUM* sp.

Col. No. 1319. 'Ponbeh'. Jalalabad. Oct. 12, 1954. Elevation 2,300 feet.

223444. *HORDEUM* sp. Poaceae.

Col. No. 1074. Kalifgan, Kataghan. Sept. 17, 1954. Elevation 4,500 feet. Perennial bunch grass, well grazed.

223445 to 223450. *HORDEUM VULGARE* L.

Barley.

223445. Col. No. 1077. 'Jow'. Kalifgan, Kataghan. Sept. 17, 1954. Elevation 4,500 feet. Non-irrigated type, planted in winter.

223446. Col. No. 1090. 'Jow'. Market, Faizabad, Badakhshan. Sept. 19, 1954. Elevation 4,000 feet.

223447. Col. No. 1106. 'Jow'. Barak, Badakhshan. Sept. 20, 1954. Elevation 5,000 feet.