

255308 to 255311.

From Mexico. Seeds collected by H. S. Gentry, agricultural explorer, New Crops Research Branch, Crops Research Division, Beltsville, Md. Received Feb. 2, 1959.

255308. *IPOMOEA* sp. Convolvulaceae.

Col. No. 17601. Nacori Chico, Sonora. Climbing vine.

255309. *PHASEOLUS VULGARIS* L. Fabaceae.

Common bean.

Col. No. 17611. Purchased at Bacanora, Sonora.

255310. *SCHIZOCARPUM PALMERI* Cogn. & Rose. Cucurbitaceae.

Col. No. 17654. Macusari Dam, Rio Mayo, Sonora. Vine with yellow flowers.

255311. *SOLANUM SEAFORTHIANUM* Andr. Solanaceae.

Col. No. 17647. Algodones, Sierra Charuco, Sonora. Scandent shrub with bright purple flowers.

255312. *IPOMOEA REPTANS* L. Convolvulaceae.

From Singapore. Seeds presented by the Botanic Gardens, Singapore. Received Feb. 3, 1959.

The aquatic sweetpotato of southern Asia. Usually eaten as boiled greens, although some produce white, sweet, thickened roots.

255313 to 255316. *FRAGARIA* (hybrids). Rosaceae. **Strawberry.**

From Denmark. Plants presented by the Danish State Research Station, Spangsbjerg, Esbjerg. Received Feb. 3, 1959.

255313. 'Hansa'.

255314. 'Oberschlesien'.

255315. 'Spangsbjerg Freja'.

255316. 'Spangsbjerg Rubin'.

255317 and 255318. *SACCHARUM* (hybrids). Poaceae. **Sugarcane.**

From Cuba. Cuttings presented by the Estacion Experimental de la Cana de Azucar, Jovellanos, Matanzas. Received Feb. 3, 1959.

255317. C.540-47.

255318. C.676-47.

255319. *PRUNUS ARMENIACA* L. Amygdalaceae.

Apricot.

From Turkey. Seedlings growing at the United States Plant Introduction Station, Chico, Calif. Numbered Feb. 3, 1959.

J 3-4. Selection from P.I. 121466, originally received as seed.

255320 to 255324. *SACCHARUM* (hybrids). Poaceae. **Sugarcane.**

From India. Cuttings presented by the Sugarcane Breeding Institute, Coimbatore. Received Feb. 4, 1959.

255320. Co. 625.

255321. Co. 775.

255322. S.E.S. 201.

255323. S.E.S. 315.

255324. S.E.S. 521.

255325. *HEDEOMA FLORIBUNDA* Standl. Menthaceae.

From Mexico. Seeds collected by H. S. Gentry, agricultural explorer, New Crops Research Branch, Crops Research Division, Beltsville, Md. Received Jan. 26, 1959.

Col. No. 17668. Sierra de Yecora, Sonora. Elevation 14,000 feet. Bushy herb used as "Oregano" for seasoning meat.