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branches, and the fruits are blackish berries. (Adapted from *note of Frank N. Meyer, dated Nov. 24, 1906.*)

See also S. P. I. No. 19476 for further data.

43676. ACER ARGUTUM Maxim. Aceraceæ.

Maple.

A small deciduous tree, with erect branches and doubly serrate leaves from 2 to 4 inches in length. The greenish yellow flowers are produced in April before the leaves, and the keys are borne in hanging racemes. This tree is a native of the mountain woods of Japan and makes an elegant appearance with its pale-green leaves in summer and its purplish brown branches in winter. (Adapted from *Bean, Trees and Shrubs Hardy in the British Isles, vol. 1, p. 135.*)

43677. BUDDLEIA DAVIDII SUPERBA (DeCorte) Rehd. and Wils. Loganiaceæ.

A large shrub, from 8 to 10 feet high, with rather thick, slightly wrinkled leaves, and pale rose-colored flowers in dense panicles which appear from the axils of the uppermost leaves. This shrub is found in central and western China. (Adapted from *E. H. Wilson, Horticulture, Sept. 20, 1913*, and from *Journal of Horticulture, July 10, 1913.*)

43678. BUDDLEIA DAVIDII VEITCHIANA Rehder. Loganiaceæ.

A large shrub, having an erect habit and with 4-angled shoots. The flowers are bright mauve with orange-yellow throats, and they occur in rather dense panicles. This variety has a more erect habit and dense flower clusters than the typical species. (Adapted from *E. H. Wilson, Horticulture, Sept. 20, 1913.*)

43679. CAMPYLOTROPIS MACROCARPA (Bunge) Rehder. Fabaceæ.
(*Lespedeza macrocarpa* Bunge.)

A shrub, up to 6 feet in height, with long-stalked leaves and oval leaflets. The purple flowers appear in many-flowered racemes about 3 inches long, and the glabrous pods are more than half an inch long. This shrub is found in northern and central China. (Adapted from *Bailey, Standard Cyclopædia of Horticulture, vol. 4, p. 1845.*)

43680. COTONEASTER DIELSIANA E. Pritz. Malaceæ.

A deciduous shrub, about 8 feet high, with ovate leaves and flowers occurring three to seven in a cluster. The round or pear-shaped fruit is scarlet. This shrub is a native of central China. (Adapted from *Bean, Trees and Shrubs Hardy in the British Isles, vol. 1, p. 408.*)

See also S. P. I. No. 40575 for further information.

43681. COTONEASTER HORIZONTALIS Decaisne. Malaceæ.

A low, flat, deciduous shrub, native of China, with branches spreading horizontally and branchlets covered with thick, brown wool. The dark, glossy green leaves are generally oval and up to one-half inch in length. The flowers are white, suffused with pink, are about one-fourth of an inch in diameter, and appear singly or in pairs in May. The globose fruit is bright red, about one-fifth of an inch in diameter. This is one of the handsomest of the cotoneasters and is easily propagated by cuttings. (Adapted from *Bean, Trees and Shrubs Hardy in the British Isles, vol. 1, p. 411.*)