



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,
BUREAU OF PLANT INDUSTRY.

FOREIGN SEED AND PLANT INTRODUCTION.

Washington, D. C., May 29, 1913.

Dear Sir:

I have pleasure in sending to you separately under our number 24624, a sample of seed of the alligator juniper, *Juniperus pachyphloea*, Sudw. This seed has been supplied by Mr. George B. Sudworth, of the United States Forest Service, who described the species.

In the opinion of Mr. Sudworth, there is some slight doubt as to whether the various forms of this species in cultivation were derived directly from wild trees and he believes that there is consequently some chance of confusion in regard to the technical names under which they are being grown. This seed we are sending you is from authentic wild trees and I trust it will be of value to you.

Very truly yours,

David Fairchild

Agricultural Explorer in Charge.

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