

5. LIST OF THE RECORDED VASCULAR FLORA OF AGALEGA

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Introduction

Agalega is the largest unelevated coral island in the western Indian Ocean (North Island 1170 ha, South Island 930 ha, total 2100 ha), and undoubtedly has the largest flora. However, it has not been, and is not at present, possible to offer any reliable information as to the size and composition of either indigenous or total flora. Until the visits by John Procter in April 1972 and Stoddart in August 1976, little serious collecting had been done there. Bojer collected material in 1835 but few of his specimens seem to be still extant. A systematic search in the herbaria at Paris and Kew would doubtless lead to the discovery of some of his specimens, but this would involve both much time and also a good knowledge of the flora of the region, to yield significant results. Collections made by Dupont in July 1934, by Mamet in May 1955 and by Wiehe in September 1961 are in the Herbarium of the Sugar Industry Research Institute in Mauritius. Stoddart listed these during a visit in 1969, and later Fosberg examined them, but these collections as a whole have not been determined critically. Procter's specimens in the Herbarium of the Ministry of Agriculture, Mahe, Seychelles, are more carefully named though without the benefit of reliably determined collections for comparison, and some identities are thus doubtful.

Except for scattered references to Agalega plants in the general systematic literature, knowledge of the flora has rested on a posthumously published list by Bojer (Bouton 1871), which was obviously not intended by him for publication. This was added to, somewhat, and republished by Capt. J. G. Lionnet in 1924. Both of these lists are so full of misidentifications, misspellings and invalidly published names, often unidentifiable, that it would have been much better if they had never been published and we could start with a somewhat cleaner slate.

The present list is designed to account for the extant specimens and all names that we are aware of in published records, together with records cited by A.S. Cheke and J. Lawley in the previous paper and also listed separately by Cheke (pers.comm, 13 September 1980). Where the name or spelling given in a published record differs from that accepted here by us, the original spelling is given in parentheses after the record. Some of the spellings, especially those given by Lionnet, are so incorrect that it is doubtful what was intended. Where there is serious doubt, this is indicated by parenthetical notes. Our own doubtful identifications are indicated by queries (?). Synonymy and published misidentifications are cross-referenced.

We are under no illusion, either that this is a complete list, that all names are correct, or that all the species listed are at present members of the flora. Ordinary cultivated vegetables, recorded by Bojer as grown in 1835, are retained in the list even though it is unlikely that many of them were raised with any success.

The present list is not to be regarded as adequate for phyto-geographic use. To gather material for a reasonably complete list would require a visit of at least a week or two by a competent collector. Detailed descriptive notes on the vegetation would also be very desirable.

For records of algae, lichens, hepatics and mosses of Agalega, see Montagne (1841, 1844-1846 and 1856).

List of plants

ACANTHACEAE

Asystasia bojeriana Nees

**Stoddart 7262 (US) (S)

AMARANTHACEAE

Achyranthes aspera L. var. *mollis* (Moq.) Townsend

*Bojer 1835

Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (N)

Stoddart 7237 (US) (N)

Aerva sp.

Dupont in July 1934 (MAU)

Alternanthera sessilis L.

Stoddart 7271 (US) (S)

Amaranthus asperus (probably in error for *Achyranthes aspera* L.,
which see)

Bojer 1835
Lionnet 1924

+*Amaranthus oleraceus* L.

Bojer 1835
Lionnet 1924

+*Amaranthus tricolor* L.

Bojer 1835
Lionnet 1924

Celosia spathulata Bojer

Bojer 1835
Lionnet 1924

+*Gomphrena globosa* L.

Bojer 1835
Lionnet 1924 (as *Gomphryna globosa*)

ANACARDIACEAE

+*Mangifera indica* L.

Bojer 1835
Lionnet 1922, p. 54
Lionnet 1924
Mamet 1978, p. 105

* Records culled from literature are listed with authors' names not underlined, and with name or spelling used by the author following in parentheses if different from that accepted by us. Bojer records are cited as 1835, when his list was compiled, rather than as 1871, when it was published. Comments on some of these records are added, in parentheses. Lionnet 1924 citations are from pp. 72-76.

** Specimens seen by us are cited with collector's name underlined, followed by his collection number, underlined, or by the year; then followed, in parentheses, by the standard symbols for the herbaria in which they are deposited. The symbol MAHE (for the herbarium of the Department of Agriculture, Victoria, Mahe, Seychelles) is not an official symbol in the Index Herbariorum, ed. 7. In second parentheses, N or S are used for North or South Island, Agalega, where this information is recorded.

+ Introduced species.

- +*Spondias dulcis* Parkinson
Lionnet 1924 (as *Spondia dulcis*)

ANNONACEAE

- +*Annona reticulata* L.
Bojer 1835 (as *Anona reticulata*)
Lionnet 1924 (as *Anona reticulata*)
Mamet 1978, p. 107

- +*Anona squamosa* L.
Bojer 1835 (as *Anona squamosa*)
Lionnet 1924 (as *Anona squamosa*)
Mamet 1978, p. 102

APIACEAE (UMBELLIFER)

- +*Apium graveolens* L.
Bojer 1835
Lionnet 1924
Mamet 1978, p. 107

- +*Apium petroselinum* L.
Bojer 1835 (as *Apium petroselinum*)
Lionnet 1924

- +*Daucus carota* L.
Bojer 1835
Lionnet 1924

APOCYNACEAE

- +*Catharanthus roseus* (L.) G. Don
Bojer 1835 (as *Vinca rosea*)
Lionnet 1924 (as *Vinca rosea*)
Mamet 1978, p. 106 (as *Vinca rosea*)
Stoddart 7287 (US) (S)

Cerbera odollam Gaertn.

- Cerbera manghas* sensu auct. non L. (probably is *Cerbera odollam*
as *C. manghas* is not found in the western Indian Ocean)
Bojer 1835 (as *Cerbera* sp.)
Lionnet 1924 (as *Cerbera* sp.)
Dupont in 1934 (MAU)
Mamet in 1955 (MAU (S: Le Jardin)

- Neisosperma oppositifolia* (Lam.) Fosberg & Sachet
Dupont AG/15 (MAU)
Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (S)

- +*Nerium oleander* L.
 Bojer 1835
 Lionnet 1924
 Stoddart, sight (N)

ARACEAE

- Colocasia esculenta* (L.) Schott
 Bojer 1835 (as *Arum esculentum*)
 Lionnet 1924 (as *Arum esculentum*)

- Typhonodorum lindleyanum* Schott
 Mamet 1978, p. 99 (S)

ARECACEAE (PALMAE)

- +*Cocos nucifera* L.
 de Richery 1785
 Rozemont 1809
 Prior 1820
 Moresby 1822
 Hilsenberg 1823
 Werner 1824
 Bojer 1835
 Unienville 1838
 Froberville 1848
 Lionnet 1924
 Mamet 1978, p. 103
 Cheke, sight (N, S)
 Stoddart, sight (N, S)

- +*Lodoicea maldivica* (Gmel.) Pers.
 Anon. 1828
 Leduc 1848
 Lionnet 1924 (as drift seed?)

- +*Phoenix dactylifera* L.
 Bojer 1835 (as *Phoenix dactylifera*)
 Lionnet 1922, p. 54; 1924
 Mamet 1978, p. 106

- +*Phoenix* sp.
 Recorded by Mamet in 1955 as the host for *Asplenium* and *Psilotum*
 but not collected

ASCLEPIADACEAE

Tylophora laevigata Decne.

Cynanchum mauritianum Bojer ex Decne.

Bojer 1835 (as *Cynanchum mauritianum*)

Lionnet 1924 (as *Cynanchum mauritianum*)

ASTERACEAE (COMPOSITAE)

+*Ageratum conyzoides* L.?

Ageratum coeruleum Bojer (This name is sometimes applied to a Tropical American weed, but there is no reason to think it was ever in Agalega. Bojer probably had a bluish form of *A. conyzoides*)

Bojer 1835 (as *Ageratum coeruleum*)

Lionnet 1924 (as *Ageratum coeruleum*)

+*Bidens pilosa* L.

Stoddart 7246 (US) (N)

+*Bidens pinnata* Bojer

(No such name is recorded as validly published. Bojer possibly had *Bidens pilosa* or perhaps *Dahlia* or *Cosmos*, but there is no way to know which)

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924

+*Helianthus annuus* L.

Helianthus major Bojer (no such name has been validly published.

Bojer possibly used it for cultivated large-headed *H. annuus*)

Bojer 1835 (as *Helianthus major*)

Lionnet 1924 (as *Helianthus major*)

+*Lactuca andivia* Bojer

(No such name validly published; perhaps the cultivated endive, *Cichorium endivia* L.)

Bojer 1835 (as *Lactuca andivia*)

Lionnet 1924 (as *Lactuca andivia*)

+*Lactuca indica* L.

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924

+*Lactuca oleracea* Bojer

(No such name validly published; probably *Lactuca sativa* L.)

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924

+*Sigesbeckia orientalis* L.

Bojer 1835 (as *Siegesbeckia orientalis*)

Lionnet 1924 (as *Siegesbeckia orientalis*)

+*Tithonia tegtioides* Bojer

(This name not validly published: could it be *Tithonia tegetiflora* Desf. from Mexico?)

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924 (as *Tagetes tageticides*)

+*Tridax procumbens* L.

Stoddart 7283 (US) (S)

+*Vernonia cinerea* (L.) Less.

Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (S)

Stoddart 7274 (US) (S)

BALSAMINACEAE

+*Impatiens balsamina* L.

Bojer 1835 (as *Balsamina hortensis*, an apparently unpublished name)

Lionnet 1924 (as *Balsamina hortensis*)

BIGNONIACEAE

+*Tabebuia heterophylla* (DC.) Britt.

Tabebuia pallida sensu auct. non Miers

Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (S)

Stoddart 7267 (US) (S)

BORAGINACEAE

Borrago indica L. see *Trichodesmia indica* (L.) R. Br.

Cordia subcordata Lam.

Bojer 1835

Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (S)

Stoddart 7240 (US) (N)

Tournefortia argentea L.f.

Hilsenberg 1823

Werner 1824

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924

Cheke, sight (N)

Mamet 1978 p. 102

Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (N, S)

Stoddart 7241 (US) (N), 7256 (US) (S)

Trichodesmia indica (L.) R. Br

Borrago indica L.

Bojer 1835 (as *Borrago indica*)

Lionnet 1924 (as *Borrago indica*)

BRASSICACEAE (CRUCIFERAE)

+*Brassica chinensis* L.

Bojer 1835
Lionnet 1924

+*Brassica oleracea* L.

Bojer 1835
Lionnet 1924
Mamet 1978, p. 102

+*Brassica pe-tsai* Bailey

Mamet 1978, p. 102

+*Raphanus sativus* L.

Bojer 1835
Lionnet 1924

Sinapis pratensis Bojer

(We do not find that this name has been validly published: perhaps either *Sinapis arvensis* L. = *Brassica kaber* (DC.) Wheeler, or, more likely, *Brassica nigra* L.)

Bojer 1835
Lionnet 1924

BROMELIACEAE

+*Ananas comosus* (L.) Merr.

Bromelia ananas L.
Lionnet 1924, p. 76 (as *Bromelia ananas*)

CANNACEAE

+*Canna indica* L.

Bojer 1835
Lionnet 1924

+*Canna* sp.

Mamet 1978, p. 107

CAPPARIDACEAE

Cleome viscosa L.

Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (N)

+*Cleome gynandra* L.

Gynandropsis pentaphylla (L.) DC.
Bojer 1835 (as *Gynandropsis pentaphylla*)
Lionnet 1924 (as *Gynandropsis pentaphylla*)
Stoddart 7276 (US) (S)

CARICACEAE

- +*Carica papaya* L.
 Bojer 1835
 Lionnet 1924
 Mamet, 1978, p. 106
 Cheke, sight (S: Ste Rita)
Stoddart 7270 (US) (S)

CASUARINACEAE

- +*Casuarina equisetifolia* L.
 Bojer 1835
 Laplace 1837 (in Froberville 1848)
 Leduc 1841 (stated to have been introduced in 1828)
 Lionnet 1924
 Cheke, sight (N, S)
 Stoddart, sight (N, S)
Procter 4189 (MAHE) (S)

CELASTRACEAE

- Celastrus nepalensis* Steud: see *Pittosporum floribundum* W. & A.
 (Pittosporaceae)

CHENOPODIACEAE

- +*Chenopodium graveolens* Willd.
 Bojer 1835 (as *Chenapodium graveolens*)
 Lionnet 1924 (as *Chenapodium graveolens*)

- +*Spinacea oleracea* L.
 Bojer 1835
 Lionnet 1924

CHLOANTHACEAE (DICRASTYLIDACEAE)

- Nesogenes prostrata* Hemsl. (Marais 1980, p. 802, considers this an error in locality for Aldabra)
Radamaea prostrata Benth.
 Baker 1877 (as *Radamaea prostrata*)
Justice Blackburn in 1863 (K); Kew negative 5385 held in MAU.

CLUSIACEAE (GUTTIFERAE)

Calophyllum inophyllum var. *takamaka* Fosberg

Werner 1824 (as Takamaka)

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924

Cheke, sight (N)

Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (S: Pte Takamaka)Stoddart 7281 (US) (S), 7292 (US) (S); sight (N)

COMBRETACEAE

+*Terminalia catappa* L.

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924

Cheke, sight (S, N)

Mamet 1978, p. 102

Stoddart 7268 (US) (S); sight (N)

COMMELINACEAE

+*Commelina diffusa* Burm.f.Dupont in 1934 (MAU)

CONVOLVULACEAE

+*Ipomoea batatas* (L.) Lam.Bojer 1835 (as *Convolvulus batatas*)*Ipomoea macrantha* R. and S.*Ipomoea glaberrima* Bojer ex Hook.*Ipomoea tuba* (Schl.) DonBojer 1835 (as *Ipomoea glaberima*)Lionnet 1924 (as *Ipomoea glaberrima*)Wiehe 1606 (MAU) (N)*Ipomoea maritima* R. Br.: see *Ipomoea pes-caprae* (L.) R. Br. subsp. *pes-caprae**Ipomoea pes-caprae* (L.) R. Br. subsp. *pes-caprae**Ipomoea maritima* R. Br.Bojer 1835 (as *Ipomoea maritima*)Lionnet 1924 (as *Ypomoea maritima*)

Mamet 1978, p. 106

Stoddart 7258 (US) (S)

CRASSULACEAE

- +*Kalanchoe pinnata* (Lam.) Pers.
 Cheke, sight (N)
Stoddart 7243 (US) (S)

CUCURBITACEAE

- +*Cucumis acutangulus* L.: see *Luffa acutangula* (L.) Roxb.

- +*Cucumis melo* L.
 Bojer 1835
 Lionnet 1924
Stoddart 7272 (US) (S)

- Cucumis muricatus* Willd.: see *Cucumis sativus* L.

- +*Cucumis sativus* L.
Cucumis muricatus Willd.
 Bojer 1835 (as *Cucumis muricatus* and *C. sativus*)
 Lionnet 1924 (as *Cucumis mauricatus* and *C. sativus*)

- Cucurbita aurantia* Willd.: see *Cucurbita pepo* L.

- Cucurbita melopepo* L.: see *Cucurbita pepo* L.

- +*Cucurbita pepo* L.
Cucurbita aurantia Willd.
Cucurbita melopepo L.
 Bojer 1835 (as *Cucurbita aurantia* Willd. and *C. melopepo* L.)
 Lionnet 1924 (as *Cucurbita aurantia* Willd. and *C. melopepo* L.)

- Cucurbita lagenaria* L.: see *Lagenaria siceraria* (Mold.) Standl.

- +*Lagenaria siceraria* (Mol.) Standl.
Cucurbita lagenaria L.
 Bojer 1835 (as *Cucurbita lagenaria*)
 Lionnet 1924 (as *Cucurbita lagenaria*)

- +*Luffa acutangula* (L.) Roxb.
Cucumis acutangulus L.
 Bojer 1835 (as *Cucumis acutangulus* L.)
 Lionnet 1924 (as *Cucumis actuangulus*)

- +*Sechium edule* (Jacq.) Sw.
 Mamet 1978, p. 106

CYPERACEAE

Cyperus comosus Poir. (possibly this but this is one of three homonyms)
 Bojer 1835
 Lionnet 1924

+*Cyperus compressus* L.
 Bojer 1835
 Lionnet 1924

Cyperus galagensis C. B. Cl.
 Bouton acc. C. B. Clarke 1883 (Bouton's specimen is the type)

Cyperus javanicus Houtt.
Mariscus pennatus (Lam.) Domin.
Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (N)
Wiehe in 1961 (MAU) (N)

Cyperus cf. *kyllingia* Endl.
Dupont AG/23 (MAU)

Cyperus ligularis L.
Mariscus glandulosus Bojer
 Bojer 1835 (as *Mariscus glandulosus*)
 Bouton, Blackburn acc. C. B. Clarke 1883
 Lionnet 1924 (as *Mariscus glandulosus*)
 Renvoize 1975
Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (N)
Wiehe 1605 (MAU) (N)
Stoddart 7248 (US) (N)

Cyperus platystachyus Griseb.: see *Cyperus tenuis* Sw.

+*Cyperus polystachyos* Rottb.
Pycreus polystachyos (Rottb.) Beauv.
 Renvoize 1975 (as *Pycreus polystachyos*)
Stoddart 7269 (US) (S), 7286 (US) (S)

Cyperus rotundus L.
 Mamet 1978, p. 105

Cyperus tenuiflorus Rottb.
 Blackburn acc. C. B. Clarke 1883

Cyperus triceps Endl.
Kyllingia triceps Bojer
 Bojer 1835 (as *Killingia triceps*)
 Lionnet 1924 (as *Kellengia triceps*)

Cyperus sp.
 Hilsenberg 1823
 Bojer 1835
 Lionnet 1924

Cyperus tenuis Sw. (a highly improbable record)

Cyperus platystachyus Griseb.

Bojer 1935 (as *Cyperus platystachys*)

Fimbristylis cymosa R. Br.

Fimbristylis obtusifolia Kunth

Renvoize 1975 (as *Fimbristylis obtusifolia*)

Mamet in 1955 (MAU)

Kyllinga triceps Bojer: see *Cyperus triceps* Endl.

Kyllinga sp.: see *Cyperus* sp.

Mariscus pennatus (Lam.) Domin: see *Cyperus javanicus* Houtt.

Mariscus glandulosus Bojer: see *Cyperus ligularis* L.

Pycreus polystachyos (Rottb.) Beauv.: see *Cyperus polystachyos* Rottb.

Scirpus grossus L.f.

Bojer 1835 (as *Scirpus grossus*, but this species is not otherwise known from Africa or the Western Indian Ocean)

Lionnet 1924

Scirpus sp.

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924

EUPHORBIACEAE

Acalypha indica L.

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924

+*Breynia disticha* Forst.

Breynia nivosa (Bull.) small var. *roseo-picta* Hort.

Mamet in 1955 (MAU)

Breynia nivosa (Bull.) Small var. *roseo-picta* Hort.: see *Breynia disticha* Forst.

+*Euphorbia hirta* L.

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924

Stoddart 7245 (US) (N), 7289 (US) (S)

Euphorbia peplus L.

Mamet 1978, p. 105 (N, S)

Euphorbia prostrata Ait.

Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (S)

Euphorbia serpens Kunth*Euphorbia serpilifolia* BojerBojer 1835 (as *Euphorbia serpilifolia*)

Baker 1877

Lionnet 1924 (as *Euphorbia serpyllifolia*)*Euphorbia serpilifolia* Bojer: see *Euphorbia serpens* Kunth*Euphorbia stoddarti* FosbergWiehe 1602 (MAU) (S)(The records referred to *Euphorbia serpens* above may belong here)+*Manihot esculenta* CrantsBojer 1835 (as *Janipha manihot*)Lionnet 1924 (as *Japnaphat manihot*)Mamet 1978, p. 107 (as *Manihot utilissima* Pohl)

Stoddart, sight (N)

Kirganellia elegans Juss. ex Spreng.: see *Phyllanthus casticum* Willem.f.*Phyllanthus casticum* Willem.f.*Phyllanthus elegans* Wall. Cat. (nom. illegit.).*Kirganellia elegans* Juss. ex Spreng.Bojer 1835 (as *Kirganellia elegans*)Lionnet 1924 (as *Kirganellia elegans*)*Phyllanthus maderaspatensis* L.

Renvoize 1975

"Bouton" (G-DC). Muell.-Arg. 1866, in DC., *Prodr.* 15(2): 363.Dupont AG/Z (MAU)Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (N)Wiehe 1601 (MAU) (N: Port St James)*Phyllanthus stipulata* Bojer (probably *Phyllanthus stipulaceum* Bojer intended)Bojer 1835 (as *Phyllanthus stipulata*)Lionnet 1924 (as *Phyllanthus stipulatus*)*Phyllanthus* sp.

Mamet 1978, p. 105

Mamet in 1955 (MAU)Proctor 4188 (MAHE) (N)+*Ricinus communis* L.

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924

Mamet 1978, p. 105

Stoddart 7282 (US) (S)

FABACEAE (LEGUMINOSAE)

Acacia farnesiana (L.) Willd.

Acacia indica Desv.

Bojer 1835 (as *Acacia indica*)

Lionnet 1924 (as *Acacia indica*)

Acacia indica Desv.: see *Acacia farnesiana* (L.) Willd.

Afzelia bijuga (Coleb.) Gray: see *Intsia bijuga* (Coleb.) O. Kitze.

+*Albizia lebeck* (L.) Benth.

Bojer 1835 (as *Acacia lebeck*)

Lionnet 1924 (as *Acacia lebeck*)

Mamet 1978, p. 105 (as *Albizzia lebeck*)

+*Arachis hypogaea* L.

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924

Caesalpinia bonduc (L.) Roxb.

Stoddart 7261 (US) (S)

+*Cajanus cajan* (L.) Huth.

Cajanus indicus Spreng.

Bojer 1835 (as *Cajanus indicus*)

Lionnet 1924 (as *Cajanus indicus*)

+*Cassia occidentalis* L.

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924 (as *Cassia accidentalis*)

+*Clitoria ternatea* L.

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924

+*Delonix regia* (Bojer) Raf.

Mamet 1978, p. 102

Cheke, sight (S: Ste Rita)

Patel 1974, photograph (S)

+*Desmanthus virgatus* Willd.

Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (S)

Dioclea jacquiniana DC.

Dolichos ruber Jacq.

Bojer 1835 (as *Dolichos ruber*)

Lionnet 1924 (as *Dolichos ruber*)

Dolichos capensis L.: see *Vigna capensis* (L.) Walp.

+*Dolichos lablab* L.

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924 (as *Dolichos lablas*)*Dolichos ruber* Jacq.: see *Dioclea jacquiniana* DC.+*Erythrina variegata* var. *orientalis* (L.) Merr.*Erythrina corallodendron* Bojer non L.*Erythrina indica* L.Bojer 1835 (as *Erythrina corallodendron*)Mamet 1978, p. 106 (as *Erythrina indica*)Stoddart 7266 (US) (S)*Erythrina corallodendron* L.: see *Erythrina variegata* var. *orientalis* (L.) Merr.*Intsia bijuga* (Coleb.) O. Ktze.*Tamarindus intsia* Spreng.*Intsia madagascariensis* Bl.*Afzelia bijuga* (Coleb.) GrayBojer 1835 (as *Intsia madagascariensis*)Bojer 1835 (as *Tamarindus indicus*)

Leduc 1844

Baker 1877 (as *Afzelia bijuga*)Lionnet 1924 (as *Tamarindus intsia*)Procter 4195 (MAHE) (N)*Intsia madagascariensis* DC.: see *Intsia bijuga* (Coleb.) O. Ktze.+*Lens culinaris* Medic.*Lens esculenta* Moench*Ervum lens* L.Bojer 1835 (as *Ervum lens*)Lionnet 1924 (as *Ervum lens*)*Leucaena leucocephala* (Lam.) De Wit.Bojer 1835 (as *Acacia leucocephala*)Lionnet 1924 (as *Acacia leucocephala*)Stoddart 7250 (US) (N)+*Phaseolus vulgaris* L.

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924

+*Pisum sativum* L.

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924

+*Tamarindus indica* L.Bojer 1835 (as *Tamarindus indicus*)Lionnet 1924 (as *Tamarindus indicus*)Mamet 1978, p. 107 (as *Tamarindus indicus*)

Tamarindus intsia Spreng.: see *Intsia bijuga* (Coleb.) O. Ktze.

Vigna capensis (L.) Walp.

Dolichos capensis L.

Bojer 1835 (as *Dolichos capensis*)

Lionnet 1924 (as *Dolichos capensis*)

GOODENIACEAE

Scaevola sericea Vahl

Scaevola taccada (Gaertn.) Roxb.

Scaevola koenigii Vahl

Scaevola frutescens auct. plus non Mill.

Hilsenberg 1823

Werner 1824

Bojer 1835 (as *Scaevola koenigii*)

Lionnet 1924 (as *Scaevola koenigii*)

Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (N, S) (as *Scaevola frutescens*)

Mamet 1978, p. 105 (as *Scaevola frutescens*)

Cheke, sight (N, S)

Stoddart 7239 (US) (N), 7280 (US) (S)

HERNANDIACEAE

Hernandia sonora L.

Hernandia ovigera sensu auct. non L.

Rozemont 1809 (as Bois blanc)

Werner 1824

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924

Cheke, sight (N)

Mamet 1978, p. 106

Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (S, N) (as *Hernandia ovigera* L.)

Stoddart 7230 (US) (N), 7234 (US) (N), 7278 (US) (S)

LAMIACEAE (LABIATAE)

+*Leonotis nepetaefolia* R. Br.

Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (S: Le Jardin)

Leucas sp.

Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (S)

+*Thymus hortensis* Bojer (not validly published name; possibly

Thymus vulgaris L. was intended)

Bojer 1835

LAURACEAE

Cassytha filiformis L.

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924

Cheke, sight (N)

Dupont AG/15 (MAU)Mamet in 1955 (MAU) with *Achyranthes aspera*Stoddart 7244 (US) (S)+*Persea americana* Mill.

Mamet 1978, p. 105

LECYTHIDACEAE

Barringtonia asiatica (L.) Kurz*Barringtonia speciosa* Forst.Bojer 1835 (as *Barringtonia speciosa*)Lionnet 1924 (as *Barringtonia speciosa*)

LILIACEAE (sensu lato)

+*Agave americana* L.

Lionnet 1924, p. 76

+*Allium ascalonicum* L. but sensu auct. usually *Allium cepa* L., which see+*Allium cepa* L.*Allium ascalonicum* sensu auct. non L.

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924 (as *Allium ascalonicum* and as *Allium cepa*)+*Allium porrum* L.

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924

+*Allium sativum* L.

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924

+*Asparagus officinalis* L.

Lionnet 1924, p. 76

Crinum cf. *augustum* Roxb.Stoddart 7259 (US) (S)*Furcraea foetida* (L.) Haw.Lionnet 1924, p. 76 (as *Agave foetida*)*Zephyranthes* sp.

Mamet 1978, p. 102

MALVACEAE

Abutilon cf. *indicum* (L.) Sweet

Sida mauritiana Bojer

Bojer 1835 (as *Sida mauritiana*)

Lionnet 1924 (as *Sida mauritiana*)

Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (S) (probably)

+*Gossypium hirsutum* L.

Gossypium barbadense L.

Moresby 1822 (as Cotton)

Bojer 1835 (as *Gossypium barbadense*)

Lionnet 1924 (as *Gossypium barbadense*)

Mamet 1978, p. 102 (as *Gossypium barbadense*)

Stoddart 7251 (US) (N)

+*Hibiscus esculentus* L.

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924 (as *Hibiscus esculentus*)

Mamet 1978, p. 106

Hibiscus tiliaceus L.

Mamet 1978, p. 104, 105

Malva borbonica Willd.: see *Malvastrum coromandelianum* (L.) Garcke

Malva communis Bojer (this name has not been validly published)

Bojer 1835

+*Malvastrum coromandelianum* (L.) Garcke

Malva borbonica Willd.

Bojer 1835 (as *Malva borbonica*)

Lionnet 1924 (as *Malva borbonica*)

Leduc in 1839 (G)

Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (S: Le Jardin)

Procter 4178 (MAHE) (S)

Pavonia urens Cav.

Lionnet 1924

+*Sida acuta* Burm. f.

Stoddart 7273b (US) (S)

Sida mauritiana Bojer: see *Abutilon* cf. *indicum* (L.) Sweet

Sida parvifolia DC.

Sida vescoana DC.

Renvoize 1975

Dupont AG/5 (MAU)

Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (S)

Wiehe 1604 (MAU) (N: Port St James)

Procter 4194 (MAHE) (N), 4184 (MAHE) (S)

Sida pusilla Cav. (This is *Sida spinosa* L. according to *Index Kewensis*, but we do not know what plant Bojer had. Possibly should include *Sida parvifolia* DC.)

Bojer 1835

Bojer 1837

Lionnet 1924

+*Sida rhombifolia* L.

Stoddart 7273b (US) (S)

Sida sp.

Wiehe in 1961 (MAU) (N)

Mamet 1978, p. 105

Procter 4207 (MAHE) (S)

MARANTACEAE

+*Maranta arundinacea* L.

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924 (as *Maranta acoudinaces*)

MELIACEAE

+*Melia azedarach* L.

Stoddart 7279 (US) (S)

MORACEAE

+*Artocarpus altilis* (Park.) Fosb.

Lionnet 1922, p. 54 (as Breadfruit)

Cheke, sight (N: Port St James; S: Ste Rita)

Ficus terebrata Bojer (this name is regarded as a synonym of two Brazilian species, but we have no clue to what species Bojer may have applied it)

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924

MORINGACEAE

+*Moringa oleifera* Lam.

Hyperanthera moringa Vahl

Bojer 1835 (as *Hyperanthera moringa*)

Lionnet 1924 (as *Hyperanthera moringa*)

MUSACEAE

+*Musa paradisiaca* L.

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924

Stoddart, sight (N)

+*Musa pumila* Bojer (we can find no record of publication of this name.)Perhaps *Musa nana* Lam. was intended)

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924

+*Musa sapientum* L.

Mamet 1978, p. 105

Cheke, sight

MYRTACEAE

Calyptranthes jambolana Willd.: see *Eugenia cuminii* L.+*Eugenia aquea* Burm.f.

Mamet 1978, p. 105

+*Eugenia cuminii* L.*Calyptranthes jambolana* Willd.Bojer 1835 (as *Calyptranthes jambolana*)Lionnet 1924 (as *Calyptranthes jambolana*)Mamet 1978, p. 105 (as *Eugenia jambolana* Lam.)+*Psidium guajava* L.*Psidium pommiferum* L.Bojer 1835 (as *Psidium pommiferum*)Lionnet 1924 (as *Psidium pommiferum*)*Psidium pommiferum* L.: see *Psidium guajava* L.

NYCTAGINACEAE

Boerhavia bulbosa Bojer (we have not found that this name has been validly published)

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924

Boerhavia diffusa L.: see *Boerhavia repens* L.*Boerhavia repens* L.*Boerhavia diffusa* sensu auct. non L.Dupont in July 1934 (MAU)Mamet in 1955 (MAU)Wiehe in September 1961 (MAU) (N: Port St James)

+*Bougainvillea* sp.
Cheke, sight (S)

Calpidia macrophylla Bojer: see *Pisonia grandis* R. Br.

+*Mirabilis jalapa* L.
Bojer 1835

Pisonia grandis R. Br.

Calpidia macrophylla Bojer

Pisonia macrophylla (Bojer) Choisy

Rozemont 1809 (as *Mapoux*)

Bojer 1835 (as *Calpidia macrophylla*)

Choisy 1849 (as *Calpidia macrophylla*)

Baker 1877 (as *Pisonia macrophylla*)

Lionnet 1922, p. 37

Lionnet 1924 (as *Calpidia macrophylla*)

Renvoize 1975

Cheke, sight (N)

Mamet 1978, p. 106

Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (S)

Stoddart 7242 (US) (N)

OLEACEAE

+*Noronhia emarginata* Thou.

Lionnet 1924 (as *Nortronia chartaca*)

Dupont AG/11 (MAU)

ORCHIDACEAE

Disperis tripetaloides (Thou.) Lindl.

Dryopeia tripetaloides Thou.

Bojer 1835 (as *Dryopeia tripetaloides*)

Baker 1877 (as *Disperis tripetaloides*)

Lionnet 1924 (as *Dryopea tripetaloides*)

PANDANACEAE

+*Pandanus utilis* Bory?

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924

PAPAVERACEAE

+*Argemone mexicana* L.

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924

PASSIFLORACEAE

+*Passiflora suberosa* L.

Stoddart 7231 (US) (N), 7263 (US) (S)

PHYTOLACCACEAE

+*Rivina humilis* L.

Rivina laevis L.

Dupont AG/12 (MAU)

Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (N)

Stoddart 7238b (US) (N)

PITTOSPORACEAE

Pittosporum floribundum W. & A.

Celastrus nepalensis Steud.

Bojer 1835 (as *Celestrus nepalensis*)

Lionnet 1924 (as *Celestrus nepalensis*)

PLANTAGINACEAE

+*Plantago major* L.

Dupont AG/6 (MAU)

POACEAE (GRAMINEAE)

+*Cenchrus echinatus* L.

Dupont in 1943 (MAU)

+*Cenchrus mitis* Anderss.

Procter 4196 (MAHE) (N)

+*Coix lachryma-jobi* L.

Bojer 1835 (as *Coix lachryma jobis*)

Lionnet 1924 (as *Coix lachryma*)

Cynodon aristatum Bojer (we have found no valid publication of this name and do not know what Bojer had in mind, possibly a variant of the following species)

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924

+*Cynodon dactylon* Pers.

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924

Mamet 1978, 107

Dactyloctenium aegyptium (L.) Beauv. (more likely *Dactyloctenium ctenoides* (Steud.) Bosser)

Bojer 1835 (as *Dactyloctenium aegyptiacum*)

Lionnet 1924 (as *Dactyloctenium aegyptiacum*)

Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (S)

Dactyloctenium distachyum Bojer (This name does not seem to be validly published: see *Dactyloctenium pilosum* Stapf)

Dactyloctenium pilosum Stapf

Bojer 1835 (as *Dactyloctenium distachyum*)

Lionnet 1924 (as *Dactyloctenium distachyum*)

Renvoize 1975

Dactyloctenium sp.

Stoddart 7297 (US) (N)

Digitaria biformis Willd.: see *Digitaria bicornis* (Lam.) R. & S.

Digitaria bicornis (Lam.) R. & S.

Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (S)

Digitaria didactyla Willd.

Mamet 1978, p. 105

Digitaria sp.

Procter 4192 (MAU) (N)

+*Eleusine indica* (L.) Gaertn.

Bojer 1835 (as *Eulesine indica*)

Lionnet 1924

Dupont in 1934 (MAU)

Mamet in 1955 (MAU)

Eragrostis brizoides (L.f.) Schult.

Bojer 1835 (as *Megastachia brizoides*)

Lionnet 1924 (as *Megastachya brizoides*)

+*Eragrostis ciliaris* (L.) R. Br.

Bojer 1835 (as *Megastachia ciliaris*)

Lionnet 1924 (as *Megastachya ciliaris*)

Dupont in 1934 (MAU)

Stoddart 7232 (US) (N)

+*Eragrostis tenella* (L.) Beauv.

Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (S)

Eragrostis sp.

Procter 4191 (MAHE) (N)

Lepturus repens (Forst.) R. Br.

Bojer 1835 (as *Rottbellia repens*)

Lionnet 1924 (as *Rottbellia repens*)

Megastachia Bojer (Invalidly published generic name: see *Eragrostis* Hort.)

Panicum maximum Jacq.
Mamet 1978, p. 106

Paspalum distichum L.
Procter 4203 (MAHE) (S) (Name supplied by Mrs A. Robertson)

Stenotaphrum dimidiatum Brongn.
Mamet 1978, p. 106

Stenotaphrum micranthum (Desv.) C. E. Hubb
Stenotaphrum subulatum Trim.
Hemsley (1919) citing Baker (1877) (as *Stenotaphrum subulatum*)
Procter 4186 (MAHE) (S) (Name supplied by Mrs A. Robertson)

+*Zea mays* L.
Werner 1824
Moresby 1822 in Horsburgh 1852, p. 171
Bojer 1835 (as *Zea mais*)
Lionnet 1924 (as *Zea mais*)
Mamet, 1978 (S, S)
Cheke, sight (S)

POLYPODIACEAE (FILICES) (sensu lato)

Acrostichum aureum L.
Dupont AG/24 (MAU)
Cheke, sight (S)

Asplenium nidus L.
Bojer 1835
Lionnet 1924
Cheke, sight (S)
Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (S)
Stoddart 7235 (US) (N)

Lomaria grandis Bojer: see *Stenochlaena tenuifolia* (Desv.) Moore

Nephrodium splendens Desv.: see *Nephrolepis biserrata* (Sw.) Schott

Nephrolepis biserrata (Sw.) Schott
Nephrodium splendens (Desv.)
Bojer 1835 (as *Nephrodium splendens*)
Lionnet 1924 (as *Nephrodium splendens*)
Renvoize 1975
Cheke, sight (S)
Dupont AG/21 (MAU)

Nephrolepis hirsutula (Forst.f.) Presl
Stoddart 7236 (US) (N)

Pteris tripartita Sw.
Bojer (K)

Stenochlaena tenuifolia (Desv.) Moore
 Bojer 1835 (as *Lomaria grandis*)
 Lionnet 1924 (as *Lomaria grandis*)
 Cheke, sight (S)
Dupont AG/25 (MAU)

Thelypteris (*Cyclosorus*) sp., probably *Thelypteris interrupta* (Willd.)
 Iwatsuki
 Cheke, sight, 1974 (S)

Polypodiaceae indet.
Dupont in 1934 (MAU)

PORTULACACEAE

Portulaca hispida Bojer (This name does not seem to be validly
 published; perhaps *Portulaca mauritiensis* was the plant in hand)
 Bojer 1835
 Lionnet 1924

Portulaca mauritiensis v. Poelln.
Portulaca pilosa sensu auct. non (L.) DC.
 Bojer 1837 (as *Portulaca pilosa*)

+*Portulaca oleracea* L. var. *oleracea*
 Bojer 1835
 Lionnet 1924
Dupont AG/12 (MAU) (S)
Stoddart 7293 (US) (S), 7294 (US) (S)

Portulaca pilosa (L.) DC.: *Portulaca mauritiensis* v. Poelln.

Portulaca sp.
 Hilsenberg 1823
Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (S)

PSILOTACEAE

Psilotum nudum (L.) Beauv.
Psilotum triquetrum Sw.
 Bojer 1835
 Lionnet 1924 (as *Psilotum triquetrum*)
 Cheke, sight record, 1974 (S)
Dupont AG/22 (MAU)
Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (S)

RHAMNACEAE

- +*Ziziphus mauritiana* Lam.
Zizyphus vulgaris Bojer
Zizyphus jujuba sensu auct. non Lam.
 Bojer 1835 (as *Zizyphus vulgaris*)
 Lionnet 1924 (as *Zizyphus vulgaris*)
 Procter 4206 (MAHE) (S)
 Mamet 1978, p. 106

Zizyphus vulgaris Bojer: see *Ziziphus mauritiana* Lam.

RHIZOPHORACEAE

- Rhizophora mucronata* Lam.
 Wiehe in 1961, not collected, photograph only (MAU) (N)
 Patel in 1974, not collected, photograph only (MAU) (N: Bassin
 Capucin)

ROSACEAE

- +*Rosa indica* L.
 Lionnet 1924, p. 76

RUBIACEAE

- Guettarda speciosa* L.
Guettarda indica Bojer. This name was apparently never validly
 published.
 Bojer 1835 (as *Guettarda indica*)
 Bojer 1837
 Lionnet 1924 (as *Guettarda indica*)
 Renvoize 1975
 Cheke, sight (N)
 Bojer (K)
 Mamet in 1955 (MAU)
 Stoddart 7257 (US) (S)

- Morinda citrifolia* L.
 Bojer 1835
 Lionnet 1924
 Mamet 1936
 Mamet 1978, p. 105
 Cheke, sight (S)
 Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (S)
 Stoddart 7233 (US) (N), 7265 (US) (S)

RUTACEAE

+*Citrus aurantiifolia* (Christm.) Swingle

Mamet 1978, p. 105

Stoddart 7275 (US) (S)+*Citrus aurantium* L.

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924 (as *Citreum aurantium*)Mamet 1978, p. 105 (as *Citrus aurantium* var. *bigaradia* Loisel)*Citrus decumana* L.: see *Citrus grandis* (L.) Osbeck*Citrus fusca* Lour.: see *Citrus sinensis* (L.) Osbeck+*Citrus grandis* (L.) Osbeck*Citrus decumana* L.Bojer 1835 (as *Citrus decumana*)Lionnet 1924 (as *Citrium decumanum*)+*Citrus limon* (L.) Burm f.*Citrus limonium* RissoLionnet 1924 (as *Citreum limonium*)+*Citrus medica* L.

Mamet 1978, p. 106

+*Citrus reticulata* Blanco*Citrus nobilis* sensu auct. non Lour.Lionnet 1924 (as *Citreum nobile*)+*Citrus sinensis* (L.) Osbeck*Citrus fusca* LourBojer 1835 (as *Citrus fusca*)Lionnet 1924 (as *Citreum fuscum*)*Evodia* sp.Dupont AG/8 (MAU)

SANTALACEAE

+*Santalum* sp.Procter 4179 (MAHE) (S), 4180 (MAHE) (S)

SAPINDACEAE

Dodonaea viscosa L. var.*Dodonaea triquetra* Wendl.Dupont AG/10 (MAU)Lionnet 1924 (as *Dodonaea triquetrum*)

+*Litchi chinensis* Sonner.

Lionnet 1922, p. 54 (as *Litchi sinensis*)

Cookilla punctata Lionnet

Lionnet 1924 (we are unable to find that this genus and species have ever been validly published, or to guess what plant Lionnet may have had in mind)

SCROPHULARIACEAE

Campuleia coccinea Hook.: see *Striga asiatica* (L) O. Ktze.

Striga asiatica (L.) O. Ktze.

Campuleia coccinea Hook.

Bojer 1835 (as *Campuleia coccinea*)

Lionnet 1924 (as *Campuleia coccinea*)

Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (N) (var. *hirsuta* Benth.)

Procter 4183 (MAHE) (S)

Stoddart 7229 (US) (N), 7284 (US) (S)

SOLANACEAE

+*Capsicum annum* L.

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924 (as *Capsicum mammum*)

Mamet 1978, p. 106

+*Capsicum frutescens* L.

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924 (as *Capsicum frutescens*)

+*Datura metel* L.

Stoddart 7260 (US) (S)

+*Datura stramonium* L. (Possibly really *Datura metel* but no specimen available)

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924

Lycopersicon esculentum Mill.: see *Solanum lycopersicum* L.

+*Nicotiana tabacum* L.

Bojer 1835

+*Solanum lycopersicum* L.

Lycopersicon esculentum Mill.

Bojer 1835 (as *Lycopersicum esculentum*)

Lionnet 1924 (as *Lycopersicum esculentum*)

+*Solanum melongena* L.

Bojer 1835

Mamet 1978, p. 107

+*Solanum nigrum* L.

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924

Stoddart 7238a (US) (N) (var. *americanum* Shulz)+*Solanum tuberosum* L.

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1924

STERCULIACEAE

Heritiera littoralis Ait.Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (S: Le Jardin)+*Melochia corchorifolia* L.

Lionnet 1924

+*Theobroma cacao* L.

Dupont 1883

Cheke, sight (S: Ste Rita)

+*Waltheria indica* L.Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (S: Le Jardin)

SURIANACEAE

Suriana maritima L.

Hilsenger 1823

Bojer 1835

Lionnet 1922, p. 37; 1924

Cheke, sight (N, S)

Mamet in 1955 (MAU (N, S)Stoddart 7254 (US) (N)

TILIACEAE

+*Corchorus aestuans* L.*Corchorus* near *acutangulus*Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (S: Le Jardin)*Triumfetta procumbens* Forst.f.

Bojer 1835, 1837

Lionnet 1924

Renvoize 1975

Bojer (CGE)Stoddart 7253 (US) (N)

Triumfetta sp.Dupont in 1934 (MAU)Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (S)

TURNERACEAE

+*Turnera ulmifolia* L.Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (N)Stoddart 7291 (US) (S), 7296 (US) (N)

URTICACEAE

Pipturus argenteus (Forst.f.)*Urtica alba* sensu auct. non Bl.

Baker 1877

Bojer 1835 (as *Urtica alba*)Lionnet 1924 (as *Urtica alba*)

Le Duc, Bouton, Skottsberg 1932

Renvoize 1975

Dupont in 1934 (MAU) (as *Pipturus* sp.)Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (S)Stoddart 7252 (US) (N)*Urtica alba* sensu auct. non N1.: see *Pipturus argenteus* (Forst.f.)

Wedd.

Urticaceae? indet.

Mamet in 1955 (MAU) (S)

VERBENACEAE

+*Lantana camara* var. *aculeata* (L.) Mold.Mamet 1978, p. 106 (as *Lantana* sp.)Stoddart 7277 (US) (S)+*Lippia nodiflora* (L.) Rich.?*Zapania stolonifera* Bojer (apparently not validly published)Bojer 1835 (as *Zapania stolonifera*)Lionnet 1924 (as *Zanapia stolonifera*)+*Stachytarpheta jamaicensis* (L.) VahlStoddart 7290 (US) (S), 7295 (US) (N)*Zapania stolonifera* Bojer: see *Lippia nodiflora* (L.) Rich.

VITIDACEAE

- +*Vitis vinifera* L.
Bojer 1835
Lionnet 1924

ZINGIBERACEAE

- +*Zingiber officinale* Roscoe
Bojer 1835 (as *Zinziber officinale*)
Lionnet 1924 (as *Zinziber officiale*)

- +*Zingiber zerumbet* (L.) Roscoe
Bojer 1835 (as *Zinziber zerumbet*)
Lionnet 1924 (as *Zinziber zerumbet*)

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