



PLANT OF THE GRAVATÁ IN THE VIRGIN FOREST NEAR LAVRAS, BRAZIL, S. P. I. No. 36967.

A wild relative of the pineapple, the fruits of which are brought into the markets of Bahia. Unlike the pineapple, the individual fruits do not form a compact head. These plants should be tested in California and Florida. (Photographed (P14302FS) by Dorsett and Popenoe, January 11, 1914.)