



RHEEDIA EDULIS A WILD RELATIVE OF THE MANGOSTEEN, S. P. I. NO. 37384.

This small, very handsome tree is known in the region around Lavras, Brazil, as the Limão do matto, or wild lemon, because of the appearance and acid taste of its bright-yellow juicy fruits, which are eaten out of hand and also preserved. It may prove a stock for the mangosteen. (Photographed (P14643FS) by Dorset and Popenoe, Lavras, Brazil, January 12, 1914.)