



A SEEDLESS FORM OF THE PEJOBAYE, OR PEACH PALM, OF COSTA RICA.  
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Because of the food value and delicious character of its boiled fruits, the pejobaye has long ranked among the important economic plants of Costa Rica. While each fruit normally contains a large bony seed, there are a few trees in San Jose which produce seedless fruits. These trees are propagated by suckers, in the same manner as the date palm. It is not yet certain, however, that the suckers will produce seedless fruits when grown in other climates than that of San Jose. (Photographed by Wilson Popenoe in the garden of Don José Zeledón, San Jose, Costa Rica, June 17, 1920; P17947FS.)