



The Chinese Osage Orange. *Cudrania triloba*.

"The peculiar looking trunk of a Chinese Osage-orange called 'Tcho che shu.' The leaves are occasionally used for feeding silkworms. Locally the small red fruits were considered unwholesome." This species has proven hardy in the Southern States and a hybrid between it and the ordinary Osage orange (*Toxylon pomiferum*) was produced in France some years ago. It is a good hedge plant and hogs are fond of the fruits. Photo. No. A 58, by F. N. Meyer, village of Ya tze ko, south of Sianfu, Shensi, China, Jan. 20, 1914.