



**THE CHINESE HOLLY.**

(*Ilex cornuta* Lindl. and Paxt.; S. P. I. No. 24638.)

The leaves of the Chinese holly have peculiar spiny tips, the two curved points suggesting horns. In this country the berries, which are orange-red and larger than those of the English holly, are produced in great numbers, although it is reported that in England the species does not fruit well. (Photographed by P. H. Dorsett, Chico, Calif., October 21, 1921; P27412FS.)