



*Quercus cornea* (S. P. I. Nos. 10633 and 27925).

*Quercus cornea*, an evergreen oak from China. The acorns are as hard-shelled as hickory nuts and the kernels almost as sweet as Spanish chestnuts. They are keenly relished by both natives and Europeans and are sold in large quantities in the markets of Canton and Hongkong. At this time it is difficult to predict how hardy this species will prove in America; however, it is worthy of trial from Washington southward.

Young plants will be available for distribution in the spring of 1911.