



*Artocarpus odoratissimus*.

The marang, S.P.I. No.36256.

This remarkable relative of the Breadfruit, from the south coast of Mindanao and the Sulu archipelago, described in the text of this bulletin by Mr. P. J. Wester, who first described it pomologically, shows what horticulturists in our tropical territory may expect from a careful exploration of the less known regions in the tropics. It is described as very sweet and rich in flavor, having flesh that separates readily and absolutely from both seed and skin. The fruit is large, about 6 inches long and 5 inches across, the thick fleshy rind studded with soft greenish-yellow spines, the flesh, white, sweet, rich, juicy, aromatic and of good flavor, separated into segments about the size of a grape, which cling to the core. The ripe fruit is readily cut through the rind which may then be easily removed leaving the flesh like a bunch of white grapes. From half-size photograph, presented by Mr. P. J. Wester, horticulturist of the Philippine Department of Agriculture.