



*Ziziphus jujuba*.

Dried Chinese Jujubes.

The large round jujube or *Ta-yuan-tsao* from Pai hsiang chen, Shansi Province, China. (Hens' Eggs for comparison). The Tsao or Chinese jujube has proven hardy in the latitude of Washington and has borne good fruit in Texas and California. The discovery by Frank N. Meyer and the successful importation of cuttings of this unusually large fruited variety, S.P.I. No. 38243, cannot fail to have an effect upon the spread of jujube culture in this country. Photograph by Meyer, Feb. 14, 1914.