

the tradition tracing the cultivated walnut of Japan to Korea. The Koreans again have a tradition that walnuts reached them from China about fifteen hundred years ago in the days of the Silla Kingdom.¹ The Korean names for the fruit are derived from the Chinese: *ho do* being the equivalent of *hu t'ao*, *kan do* corresponding to *k'ian t'ao*, and *ha do* to *ho t'ao*. The Geography of the Ming Dynasty states that walnuts are a product of Korea.²

¹ *Korea Review*, Vol. II, 1902, p. 394.

² *Ta Min i t'un či*, Ch. 89 p. 4 b.