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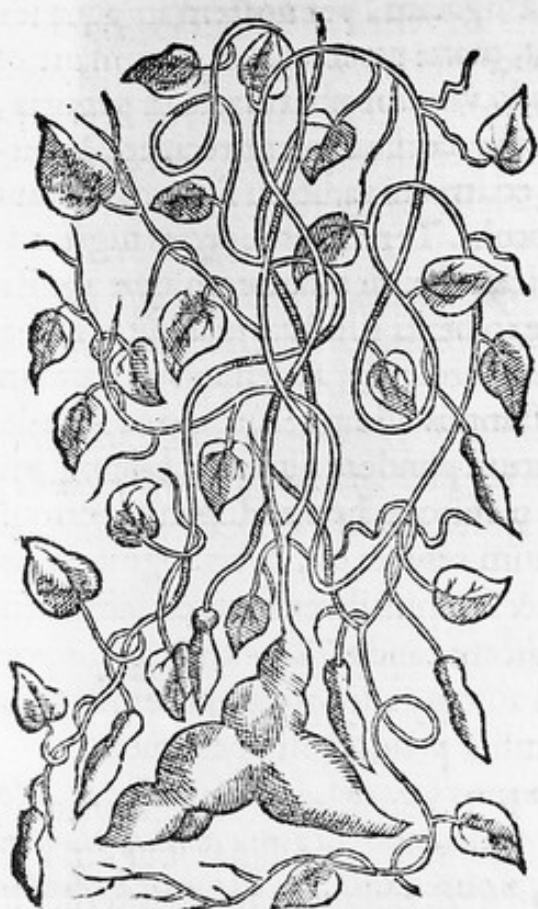
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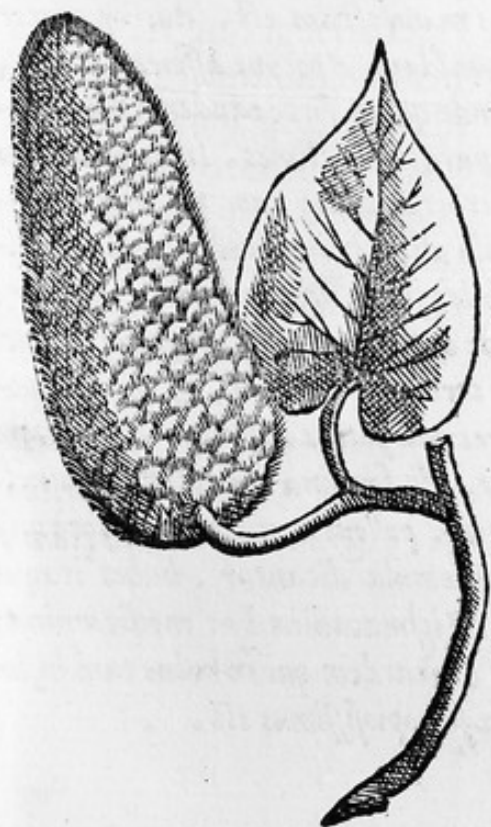
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TACVACHE est radix Michuacanica purgans, quam alij Pusquam, Mexicenses verò Tlalan tlacacuitlapilli vocant. Huius tres reperiuntur species masculinum nos, & foeminam depingi curavimus, forma & viribus valde similes. Utraque, herba est fundens radicem longam, crassam, & lacte manantem, candidamque, & ex ea caules volubiles, tenues, & ornatos folijs raris, cordis figura, sed minoribus, floribus verò oblongis, & coccineis, ac fructu Peponis forma & magnitudine, lanugine obducto candenti, ac semine albo reposito, tenui, latoque, non sine bomicinis quibusdam filis argenteis, & lentis. Radix calida est quarto ferè ordine, siccaque, guttur devorata vrens. purgat omnes humores per inferna, sed præcipue pituitam, sesquidrachmæ, duarumue drachmarum pondere, ex aqua, vinoque, iure pulli, aut ex tremulo