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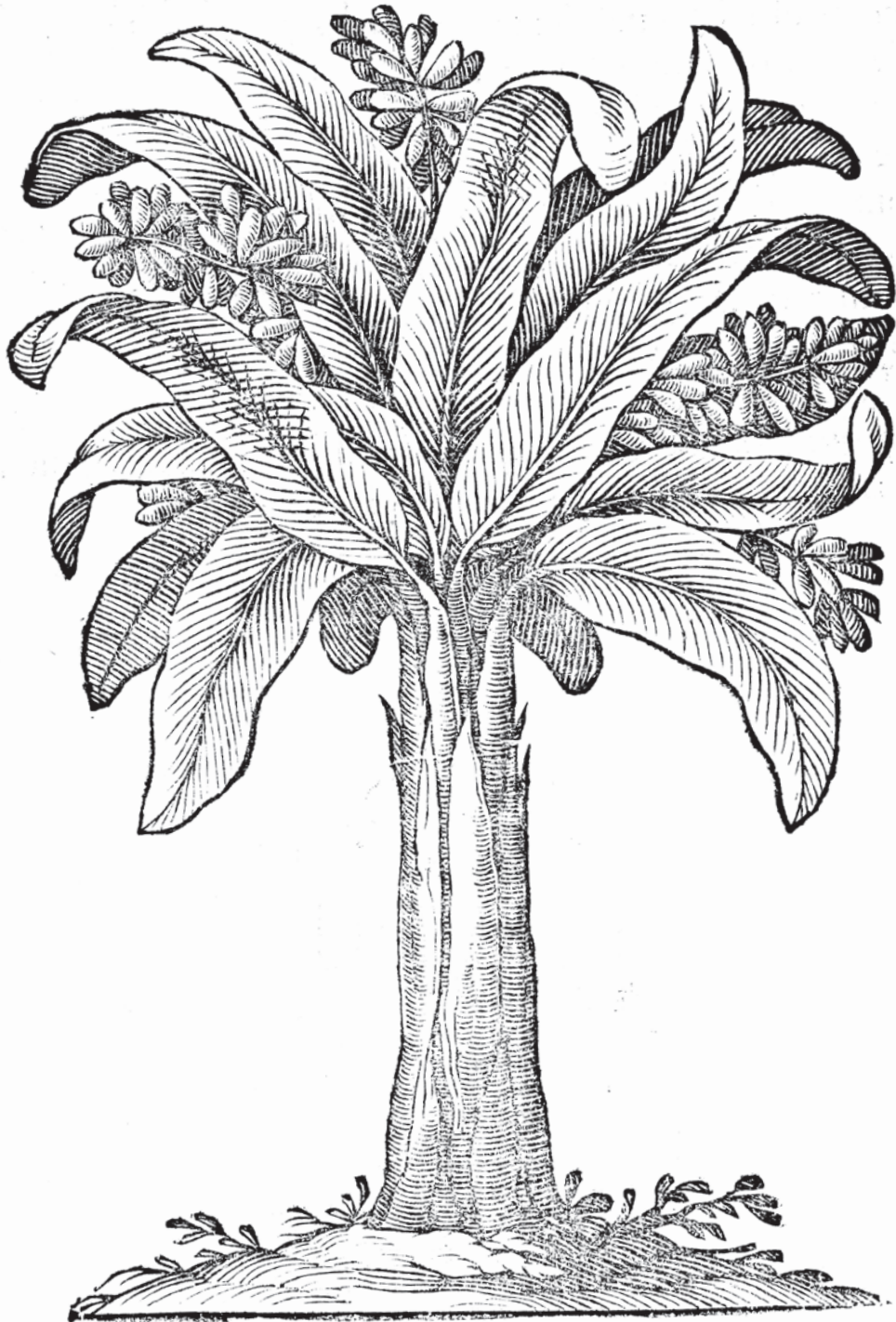


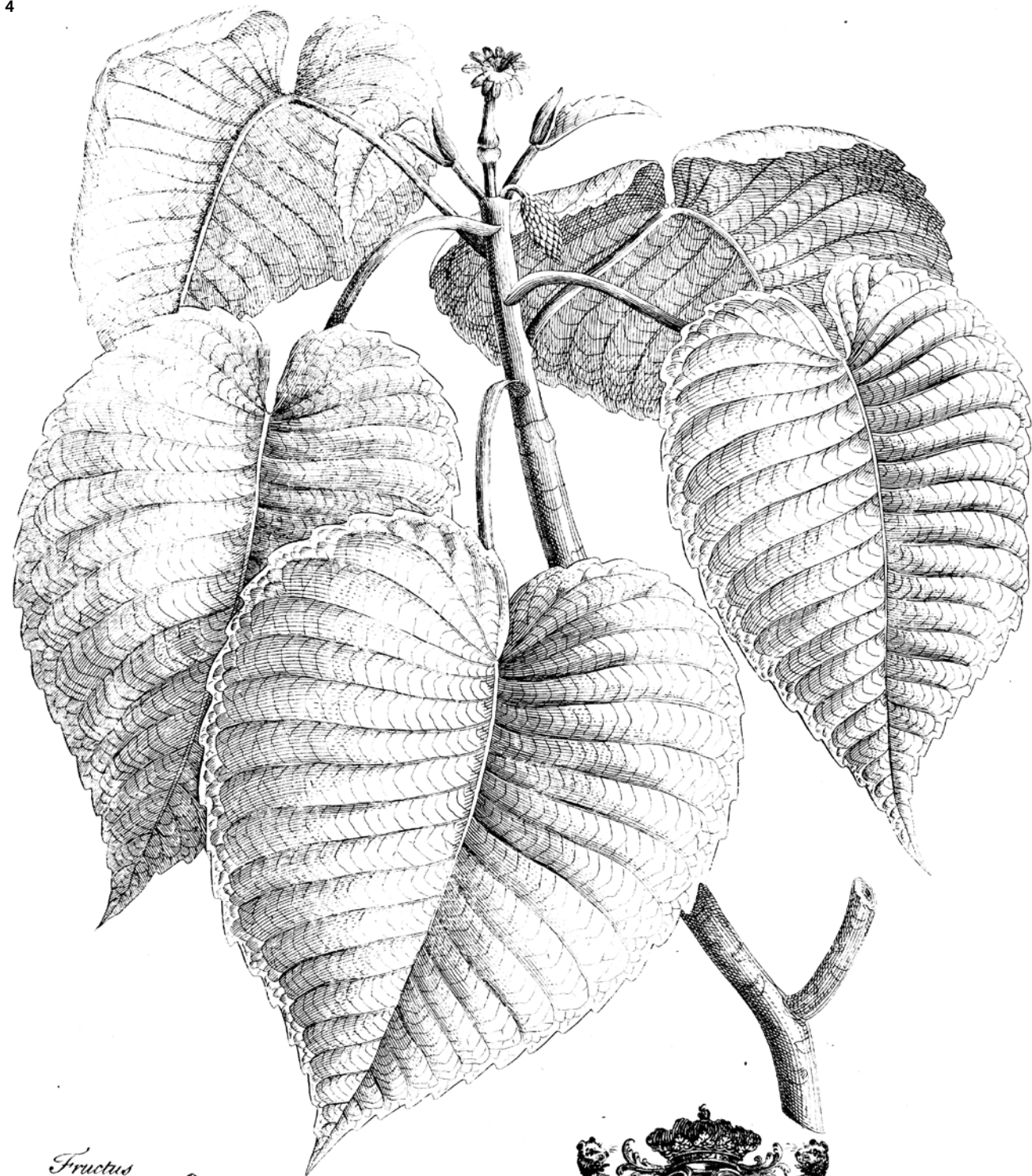
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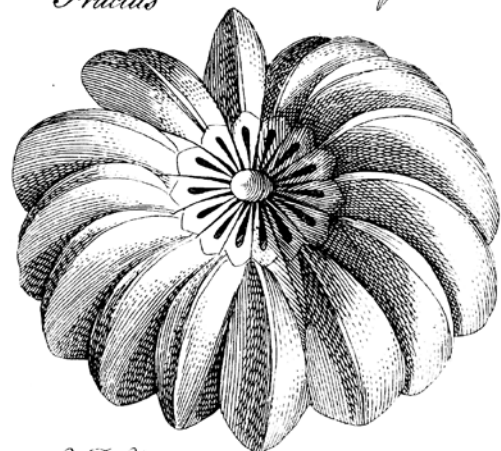
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Figure 4



*Fructus*



*G. D. Phrot delin. et Sculp.*



*To his Grace the Duke of Dorset,  
 Lord President of his MAJESTY'S  
 most honourable Privy Council & Kn.<sup>t</sup>  
 of his most Noble Order of the Garter.  
 This Plate is humbly Inscrib'd. &c.*

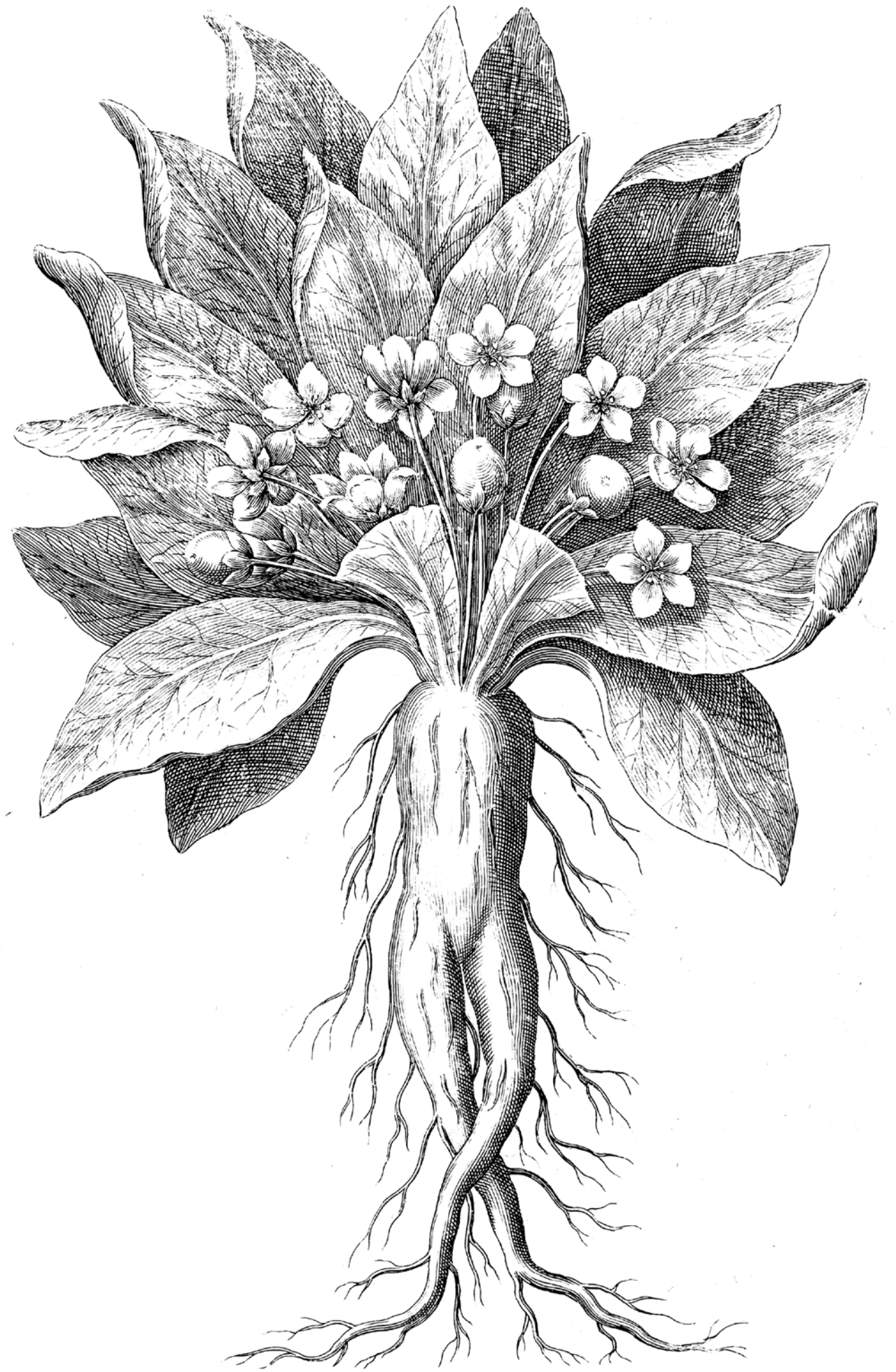
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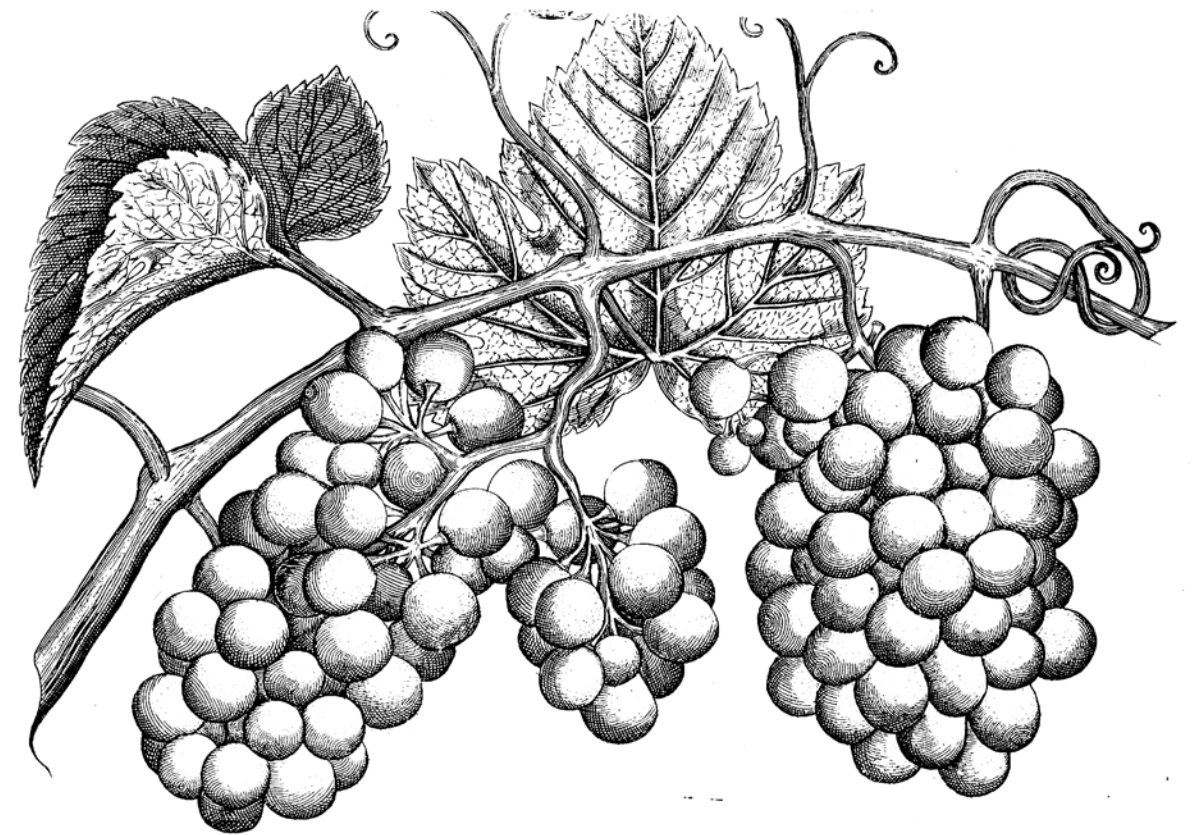
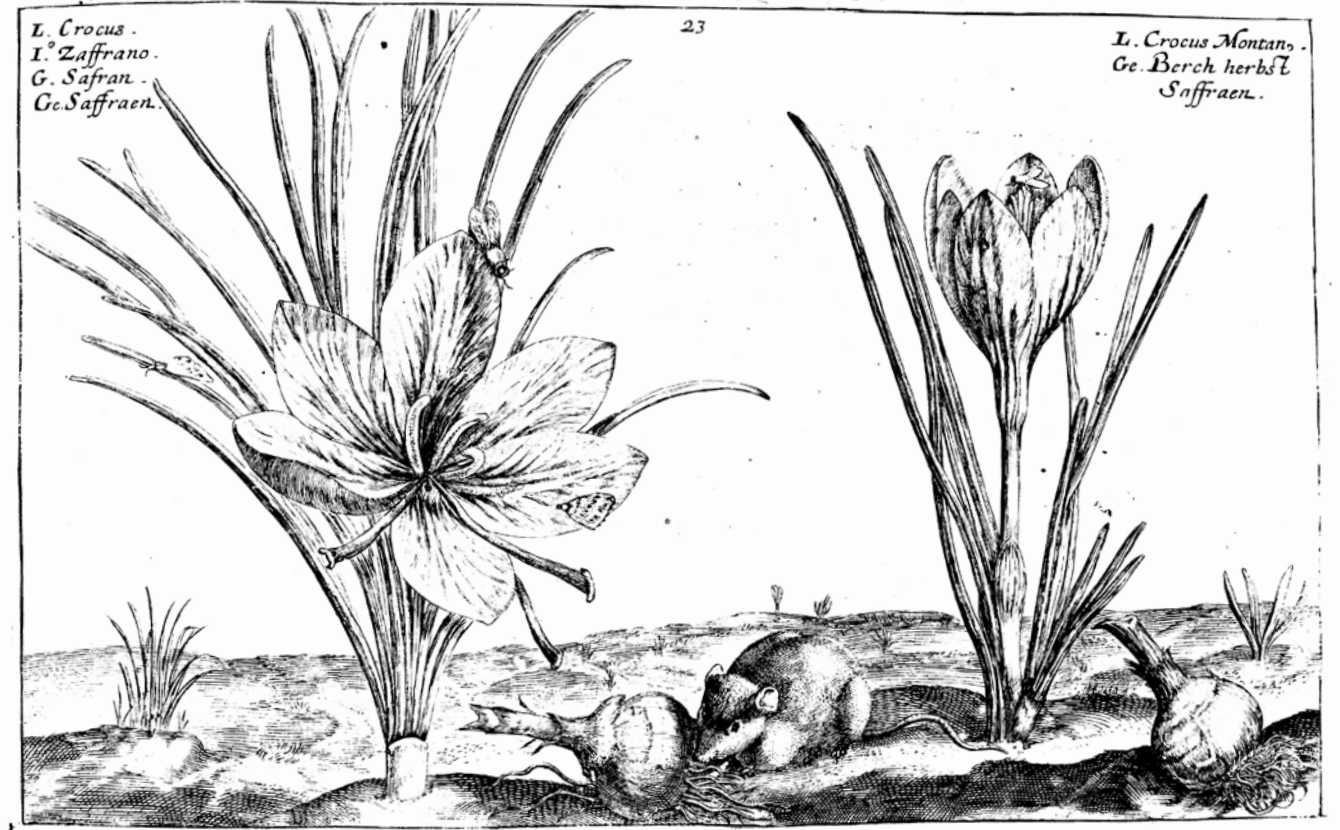


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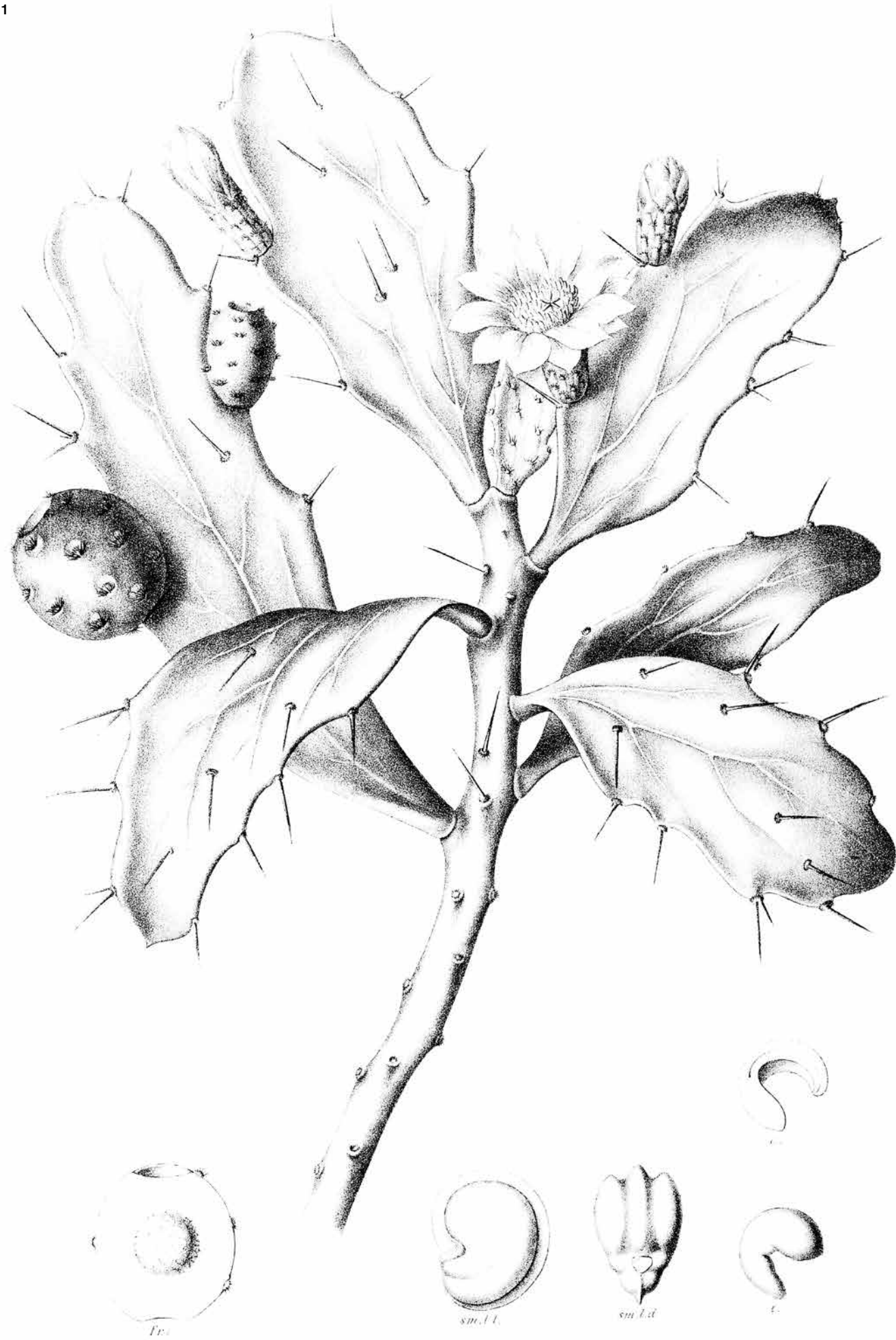
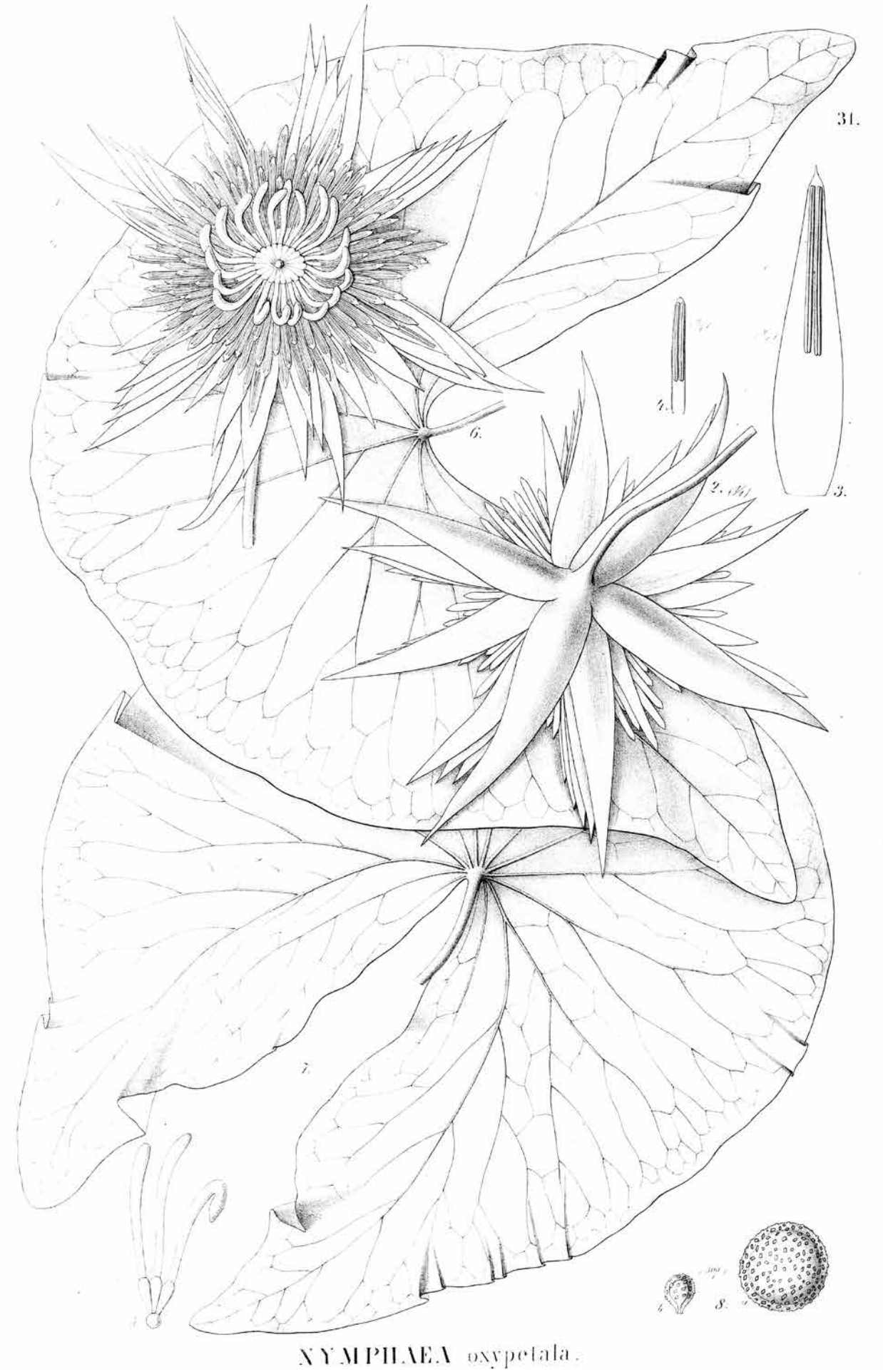


Figure 12



## About the LuEsther T. Mertz Library

The LuEsther T. Mertz Library is a thriving center for research on the study of botany, horticulture and the important role plants play in the development of humankind. It collects, preserves and shares over eight centuries of written and visual documents that are essential to the study of our relationship with the plant kingdom. The library's outstanding collections and programs play an important role in the development of education for the scientific, scholarly and artistic communities worldwide and the public at large.

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### Figure 1

Prosper Alpini, *Prosper Alpini de plantis Aegypti liber*, Venice, 1592.

### Figures 2 & 3

Pietro Andrea Mattioli, *Herbarz: ginak Bylinář ...*, Prague, 1562

### Figure 4 & 5

Griffith Hughes, *The natural history of Barbados*, London, 1750.

### Figures 6 & 7

Johann Theodor de Bry, *Florilegium renovatum et auctum*, Frankfurt, 1641.

### Figure 8

Maria Sibylla Merian, *Histoire générale des insectes de Surinam et de toute l'Europe ...*, Paris, 1771.

### Figures 9 & 10

Crispijn van de Passe, *Hortus floridus*, Extant Arnheimii, [1614–1617].

### Figures 11 & 12

Karl Friedrich Philipp von Martius, *Flora Brasiliensis*, Weinheim, 1840–1906.