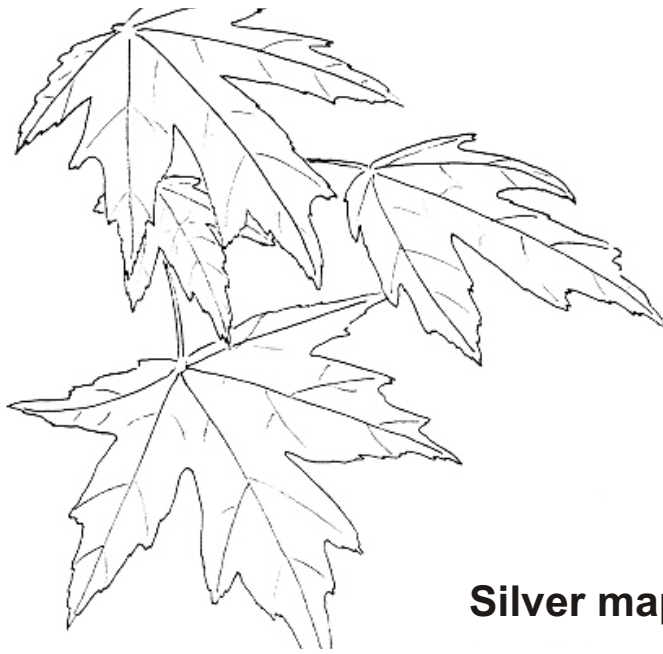


Manitoba maple or box elder

The Manitoba maple was distributed from the Station in the early years of its operation around 1916. Notice the compound leaves, as compared to the silver maple below.

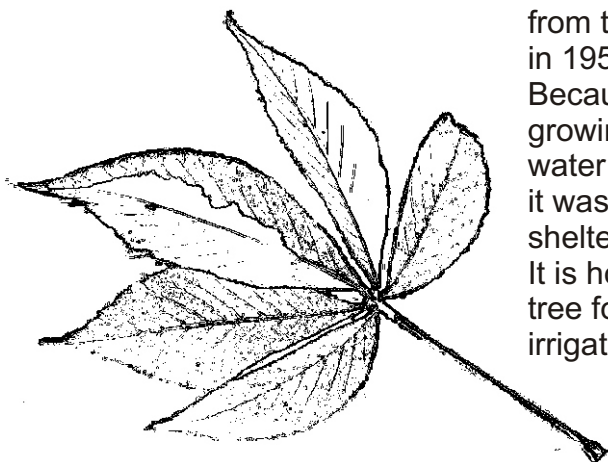


Silver maple



Silver maple, early fall

One of the functions of the Nursery Station was to demonstrate to farmers what trees could grow on the prairies. Although never distributed, the silver maple now graces the curved driveway near the Superintendent's Residence.



The Ohio Buckeye was first shipped from the Sutherland Nursery Station in 1957.

Because it was relatively slow growing and required adequate water to become established, it was perhaps not the ideal tree for shelterbelts.

It is however a great specimen tree for home gardens, where irrigation is not an issue.

Ohio Buckeye

