



# Mehr Chand Mahajan DAV College for Women Sector 36-A, Chandigarh

<b>BOTANICAL NAME</b>	<i>Markhamia lutea</i> (Benth.) K. Schum.
<b>COMMON NAME</b>	Nile Tulip, Nile Trumpet, Yellow Bell Bean Tree, Siala Tree
<b>FAMILY</b>	Bignoniaceae



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## COMMON USES

1. Its wood is soft and resistant to termites and hence it can be used for making furniture and carpentry as well.
2. It is used for making paddles for river rafting, spoons, tool handles and knife sheaths.
3. Its wood is used for fuel and produces a good charcoal.
4. Its leaves and bark are used for curing toothache, stomach ache and head ache.
5. The roots of this tree are used against venereal diseases.
6. The tree is used to cure skin infections, sores, and itching.

However, this information must be used under medical supervision.

## REFERENCES

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