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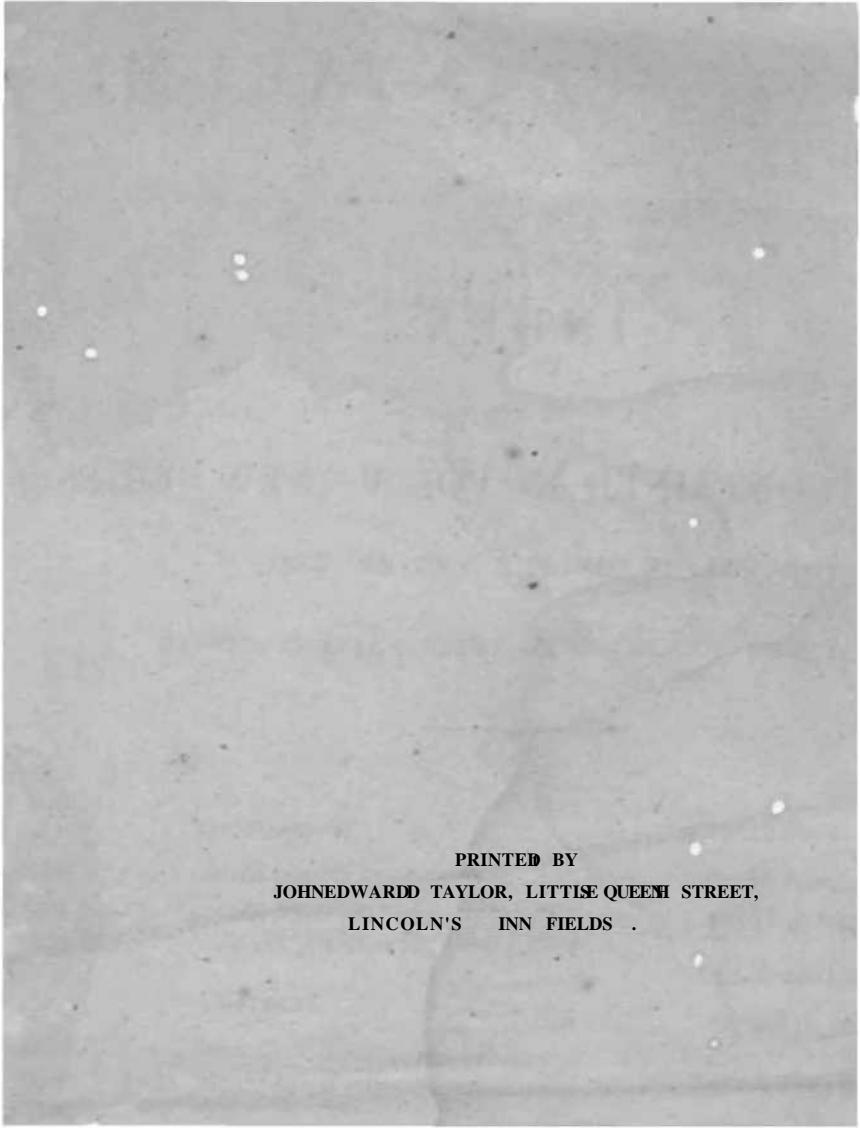
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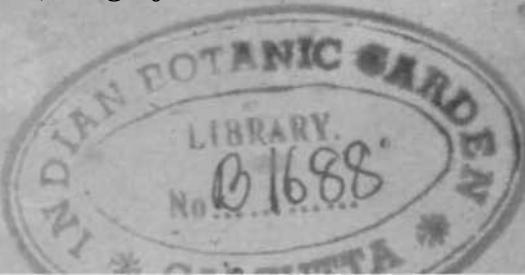
PUNEERIA, *Stocks* (Solanese), *iiov. gen.*—*Flores aborta dioici.*
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Puneeriacoagulansj *Stocks m Wight?* aIU. Fl. Ind. Or. v. 4.1.1616.

HAB. Throughout Sciude^ in rocky and cultivated **soil** \ also in

Beluchistan, *Stocks*, n. 413 ; aud Afghanistan, *Griffith*, n. 657.
 It is one of the best-known plants in all these countries from its economical properties, and bears the name of *Puneer-bund* (**cheese-maker**), from its being used by **the Beloochies and Affgharis** in making cheese [*puneer*], as a substitute for rennet. [tfl dried berries an- sold in the bazaars, and ace regarded & the 11ub-al **Kaknnj** of Persian ami Arabian works on Materia **Medica**, The plant grows 1-3 feet high, and is readily recognized by its peculiar ash-grey Jiuc. Found from the level of the sea to **8,000** foot. **Griffith**, found it at Landi-Khanu, in the Khyber Pass (^488 feet), and nt Sera in the Punjab. (**Griff.** Journal, p. 499 ; "Physaloides of Lundy Khana.") *Stocks.*

A. Male branch. F. Female branch. **Fig. I.** Male flower.
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HIBISCUS SCINDICUS, Stocks,

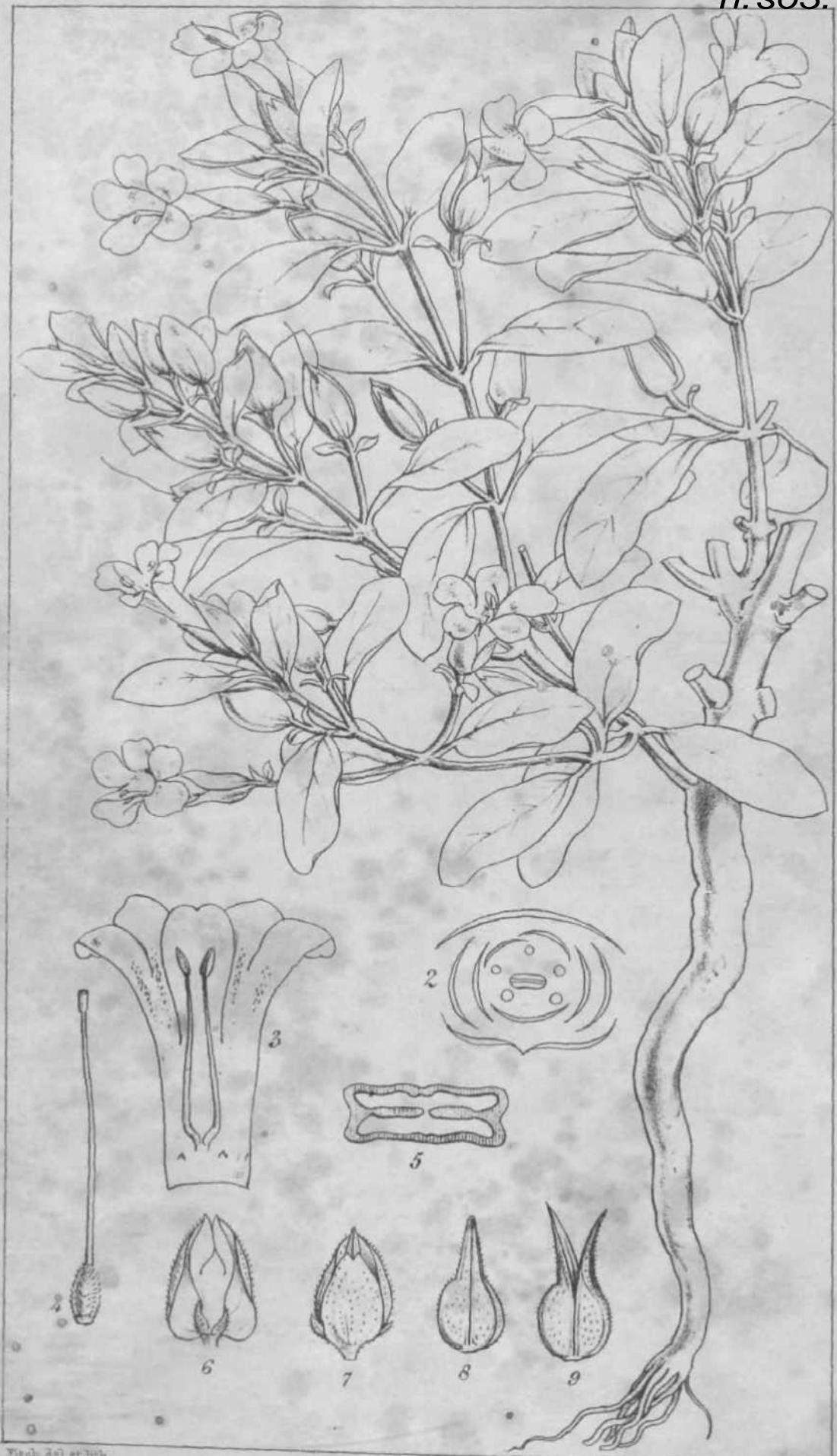
Suffrater^x tortuosa humilis ramosissima subspinosa, pube stellalu incana, foliis • parvis cuñeatis sessilibus apice crenato-serratis, stipulis subulatis, pedunculis solitariis brevissiinis, involucelli foliolis 7-8 lanceolato-subulatis calycis 5-fidi dimidium sequantibus, petalorum unguibus spiraliter tortis, columna staminea inflata, antheris solummodo liberis, stylo longitudine staminum, capsula globosa 5-loculari, seminibus lanuginosis.

'Hib. Hills of Scinde, Dr. Stocks [n. 480].

^{it} *Suffrutex* Sciqdica depressa, *ramis* abruptis subspinosis, *ramulis* pube stellata tomentosa lepidotis. *Folia* omnia cuneata, parva, lepidotim stellato-pilosā. *Involucellum* 6-8-phylum. *Calyx* 5-fidus, laciniis basi cohserentibus. *Corolla petala* in tubum dextrorsum vel siuistrorsum tortum cum columna staminea connata, limbi segmentis tubo brevioribus. *Columna* staminea apice libera, antheras plurimas in globum confertas exscrens. *Ovarium* 5-loculare. *Ovula* loculis 2. *Stylus* teiminslis apice exerto, 5-fidus. *Stigmata* capitellata, papillosa. *Capsula* 5-locularis, 5-valvis. *Semina* in loculis 1-2; *testa* Crustacea, pilis gossypinis lanuginosa." /. E. S.

Our valued friend Dr. Stocks considers that this singular plant will form a genus distinct from *Hibiscus*.. The extensive genus so called, needs an entire revision; if this be separated, M: Flanchon remarks, "there should go with it *Hibiscus micranthus* from Ceylon and the Peninsula of India, *Hibiscus*, sp. (S. Fischer, doll. n. 92, from Arabia, and Aucher-Eloy, Coll. ii. 428, a, from Muscat), *Hibiscus*, sp. (Aucher-Eloy, Coll. n. 855, from Sinai), arid one from Senegambia (Heudetot, Coll. n. 535)—all in Herb. Hook. The present species differs from all those in its cuneate leaves."

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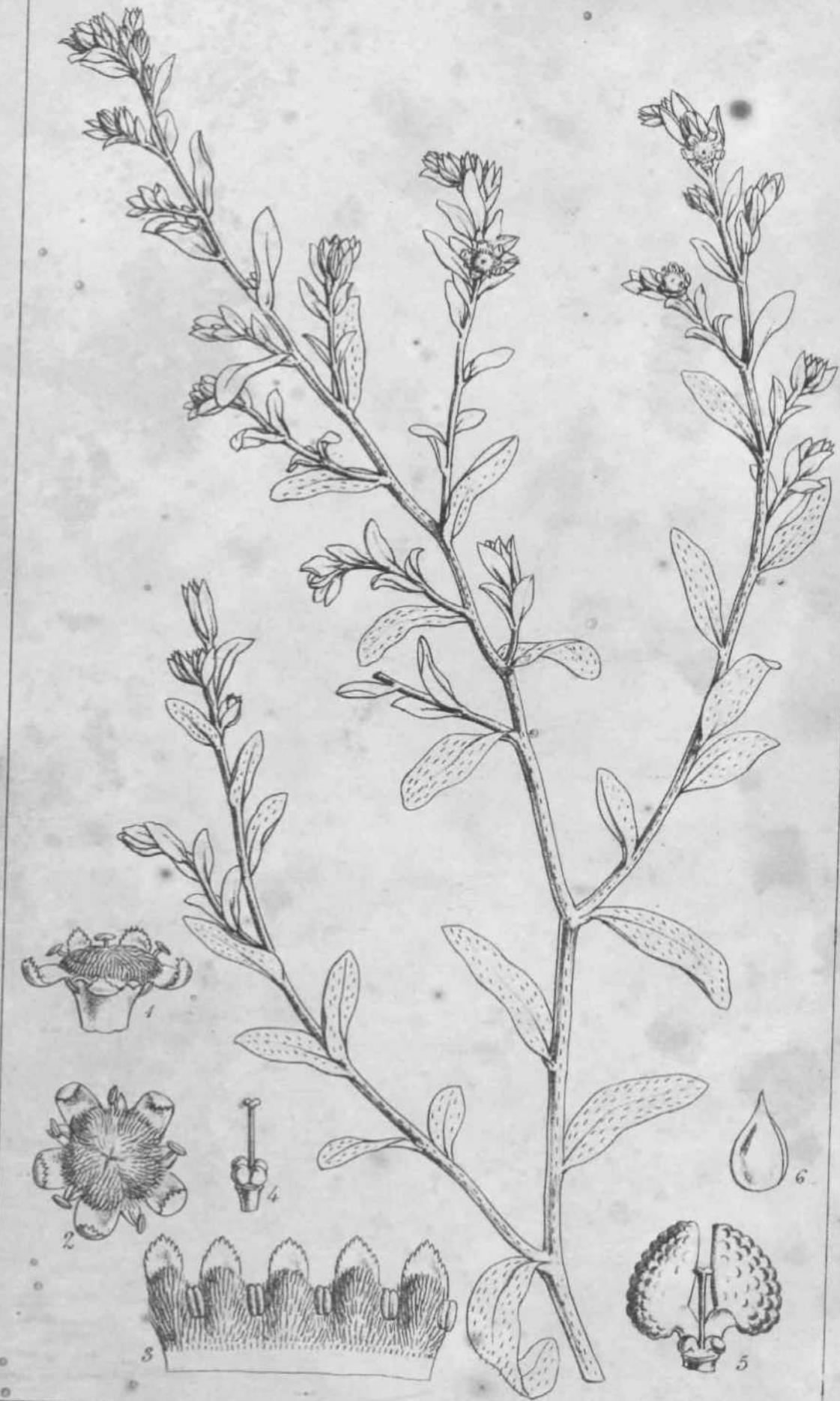
tfruticosa, ramis strigilloso-tomentosis apice trichiomis, ramulis trifidis triflcfris v. unifloris bibracteatis, foliis ovalibus obtusis subraucronatis strigillossis, bracteolis lanceolatis integfrimis, calycis laciniis majoribus ovalibus acutis sequalibus integrermis glanduloso-pubescentibus, corollse tubo mediocri.
 "Nees'in Kotscliy, It. Nub. n. 159 et 109 (119 Hook.) in Hook. Herb:'—Nees in Be Cand. Prodr. v. 11. p. 231. Wight, Ic. PL'Ind.Or. v.4. 2.15B8. B. diandra, Hocist. et Steud. Herb. Mg. Ar. Un. Itin. n. 919.

HAB. Arabia Felix, 8. MscAer, n. 114 (Herb. Hook.). Cordofan, KoUchy, in Herb. Hook. n. 119. Hills in Scinde, n. 501, /. E. Stocfo (in Herb. nostr.).

"Suffruticosa, diandra, glanduloso-pubescent; foliis lancéolato-oblongis obtusis, pills simplicibus adpressis pubequē capitata erecta instrūctis, pagina inferiore lineolata; petiolo brevi; pedunculo axillari supra medium bibracteolato, bracteis floriferis, 3-floro vel ssepissime vacuis 1-floro; calycis laciniis intus glabris, extus pilis capitatis molliter pubescentibus, majoribus cordato-ovatis insequālibus, superiore acuto, inferiore breviore et augustiore 2-costato bifido, interioribus linear-lanceolatis acuminatis; ovario pubescente; capsula pubesceniis rostrate dispermse seminibus sericeis!"

A stunted-looking plant, on rocky ground spreading tuftwise. Flowers open at 10 A. M. Corolla one inch long, funnel-shaped: tube dirty-yellow; limb faint lilac, with the throat marked by reddish spots extending to the base of all the segments except the anterior one, which is separated somewhat from the rest by clefts extending deeper down, stands more erect, is rather shorter, and has the stamens and style adpressed to it. Barely there are six segments to the limb of the corolla, in which case one of the staminodia (of which there*are two lateral and one very much smaller and posterior) develops an anther. J.Jfl. 8.

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TAB. DCOCIV.

ISERICOSTOMA PATJCIFLORUM, *Stock**.

GEN. CHAÍR. SEEICOSTOMA, *Stocks* (Boragineæ), *nov. gen.*—*Calyx* 5-partitus, sepalis basi subconnatis, duobus majoribus sestivatione externis. *Corolla* infundibuli-rotata, tubo sepalis breviore, limbi segmentis cestivatione imbricatis, anthesi planis, fauce lata pilis sericeis ceutrum versus radiantibus obstructa. *Stamina* ad siuus corollse inserta: *filamenta* breviaj *anthera* versatiles/ demum exsertse. *Ovarium* profunde 4-partitum, lobis . «i stylo distinctis. *Stigma* capitatum, subbilobum. *Nuces* 1-2 (uno vel di%bus abortivis), ventre angulari liberse, dorso convexo-granulatse, apice acominatse, basi productse, stipite laterali afflxse, ^tylo lftngiores, calyce clauso breviores. *Semen* erectum, *radicula* minima supera, *cotyledonibus* obovatis crassis.—*SufTrutex Scindifti*. *Caulis* basi decumbem, ligneus. *Bamuli Jierlacei*, *pilis adpressis*. *Folia* stricte sessilia, linear-lanceolata. *Bacemi* breves, qppositifolii, subscorpioidei, Z-h-flori, bractea terminally floribus brevitef pedicellatis uno vemo. *Corolla* alba, tenuissime membranacea, extus glabra, fauce filis tenuissimis crispo-sericeis dense obsita, limbi segmentis basipilosissimis apice lacero-dentatis. *Stocks*.

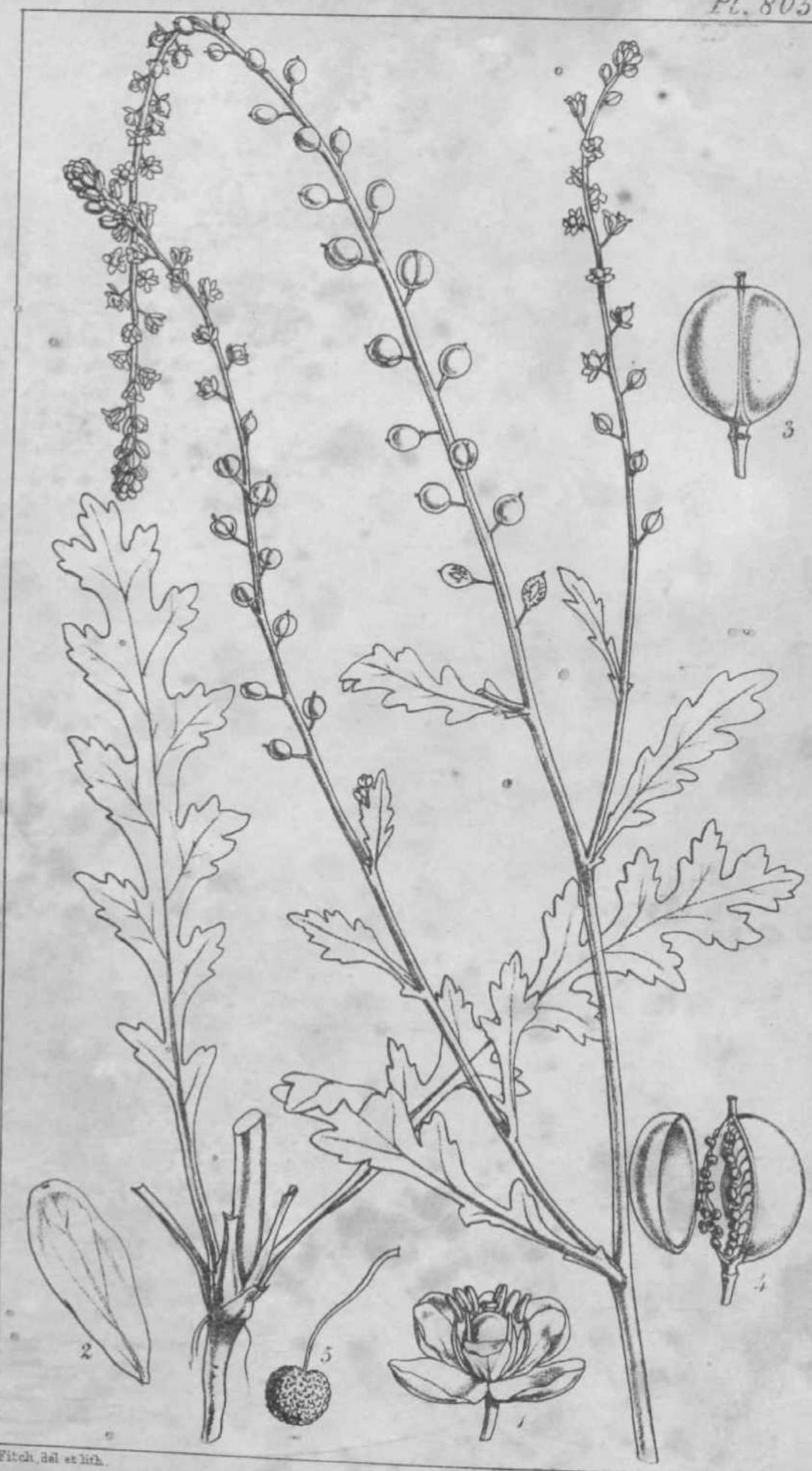
Sericostoma pauciflorum. /. K *Stocks*; in *Wight Ic. Plant. Ind.*

*Or** 1.1377.

HAB." Hills of Scinde. *Dr. J. B. Stocks* (*n. 478*).

In this curious genus the faux of the corolla is completely closed by the meeting of the five dense silky masses, which suggested to Dr. Stocks the generic name. M. Planchop considers that *IMospermum Kotsckyi*, Boiss., is probably a congener of this, although the nucules in that are quite smooth.

Mg. 1. Side view of corolla. /. 2. View of the mouth of do. /. 3. Corollá laid open. / 4. Pistil. / 5. Fruit. /. 6. Seed:—*magnified*.



TAJ*. DCOCV.

COCHLEABIA FLAVA, *BttcL*

An_p^{nu}.? gkberrima paniculatiin ramosa, ramis omnibus racemiferis, lolijs lanceolatis superne dilatatis pinnatifidis, laciniis sinuato-» uicisis, racemis elongatis multifloris, petalis calyce duplo breyi- oribus, siliculis globosis membrfnaceis; scminibus numcrossis reniformi-globosis rugoso-punctatis, podospermis filiformibus elongatis.

Cochlearia flava, *Buck. Hort. Bengal*, p. 48. *Royle, M. Himul*, p. 72.—*Alyssum cochlearioides*, *Horti, Nov. PI. Sp.p. 822*.—•*Cochlearia alyssoides*, *De Cand. Prodr. v. I.p. 172*.—*Gamelina Caisir*, *Wall. Cat. n. 802*.

HAB. North-west provinces of India: H-urdwar, &c., *Buchanan, Boyle*; near Kurnaul, Feb. 1843, Moradabad, March 1834, Dr. Tho%. Thomson.

Radix annua, fusiformis. *Caulis* spithainseus ad pcdalsin et sesquipedalem[^] erectus, ramosus, *ramis* omnibus racemiferis. *Folia omnia* piunatifida, glaberrima: *infenora* seu *radicalia* 4-5 uncias longa, magis petiolata, laciniis inciso-sinuatis subpiunatifidis, scgraentis omnibus acutis; *superiora* breviora, subspathulata[^] laciniis sutintegerrimis. *Racemi* terminates elongati, fructiferi fere spitliamsei. *Pedicelli* floris longitudine erecto-patentes. *Flores* parvi, ochroleuci. *Sepala* ovato-rotundata, coucava, membranacea, glaberrima. *Petala* sepalis duplo breviora, oblongo-obovata. *Staminum* *filamenta* sabsequalia, filiformi-subulata, simplicia; *anthera* oblongsc. *Ovarium* globosum, glaberrimum, *stylo* perbrevi terminatum. *Stigma* obtusum. *Siliculce* globosae, sesquilineam longae, inembranacee, glabrae; valvis hemisphoBricis. *Dissepimentum* fenestratum. *Semina* numerosa, ultra 20 in singulo loculo, reniformi-globosa, punctis elevatis xugosz, *funiculis* longissimis filiformibus.

A dubious *Cochlearia*, bordering on *Fesicaria*. Our drawing is made from the collection of Dr. Thomas Thomson, lately returned from his scientific mission to Western Himalaya and Thibet, whence, after joining Dr. Hooker in* Eastern Himalaya, he is at this moment returned to Europe with his valuable collections, upon which it is to be hoped his well-known talents will be employed for the advantage of the scientific world.

Fig. 1. Flower. /. 2. Petal. /. 3. Capsule. /. 4. Capsule with one valve separated. /. 5. Seed with its' podosperm:->- magnified.



TAB. DCCCVI.

LONICERA (*Xylosteon*) LOUREIRI, *BL*

Scandens, tota fusco-pubesccns pilosa, foliis elliptico-ovatis brevi-petiolatis breviter acuminatissimis basi subcordatis utriuque reticulatis, pedunculis bifloris axillaribus solitariis terminalibus dense capitatis, calycis limbo profunde 5-partito, laciniis late subulatis erectis. 9

Lonicera Loureiri, *Blume, Bijdr. p. 653.* *Be Cand. Prodr. v. 4.*
p. 334. ^

Lonicera *Xylosteum*, *lour. Fl. Cochin, v. I.p. 186 ?*

Var. *ft major*; foliis majoribus longioribus fere glabris, floribus majoribus.

HAB. Cochin-China, *Loureiro.* Java, on Mounts Gede and Tjerimai, *Blume, T/wmas Loll* (along with var. 0).

This plant is (at least in our var. a) everywhere more or less pubescenti-villous, with brownish hairs, even the calyx and corolla, which latter appears, judging from the dried specimens, to be of a yellow or golden colour. The leaves are, moreover, closely and finely reticulated, on the upper side with sunken, and beneath with prominent, veins.. Calyx-limb deeply 5-lobed, lobes erect, ovatoJanceolate.

Fig. 1. Flower:—magnified.



TAB. DCCCVIL

LONICERA (Xylosteon) DIVERSIFOLIA, *Wall*

•**Vix** volubilis, foliis ovatis acutis subacuminatisve subtus pre-
cipue villosi.% pedunculis petiolo brevioribus, calycis limbo
campanulato acute 5-dentato, corolla bilabiata extus pubescente
basi hinc gibboso,' ovario villoso.

Lonicera diversifolia, *Wall* in *RoxL FL Irid.* v. 2.p. 169. *WalL*
Cat. n. 477. Be Uand. Prodr. v. 4s.p. 334.

Var. j8. *Eoyleana* foliis ovalibus, pedunculis petioli lougitudine.
Be CamhProdf.p. 334. L. Boyleana, *WalL Cat.n.478.*

HAB. North-western Ijidia: *MountsinsoiGurw?l, WallicA;^yjíee*
Thai, Dr. T/tomas Thomson. P. Kamaon and Sirmore, *Wallkh*

Our specimens from Dr. Thomson have the leaves broader and
larger and more downy than those from Dr. Wallich, but not more
different than is to be expected in a plant named "*diversifolia*"
from the variable character of the leaves. Professor De Candolle
justly compares it to the European *Xylosteum*, but it beltings to
a different subsection, having the berries distinct. I do not see
that *L. Rogleana* deserves even to be considered a variety. All
my specimens give the idea of an erect, not a scandent, shrub.

Fig. 1. Flower and bractea:—magnified.



TAB. DCCCVIII

FARSETIA LINEARIS, *Dene.*

Tota pilis adpressis cana patenti-ramosa parce foliosa, ramis strictis rigidis subspinescentibus, foliis anguste linearibus, sepalis oblongo-lanceolatis unguis petalorum sequantibus, petalorum laminis obovatis, filamentis edentulis, siliqua erecta brevi-pedunculata oblongo-lineari (6 lineas longa) inaequaliter strangulata stylo lineam longo terminata, seminibus subuniserialibus 10—15 compressis lato-marginatis.

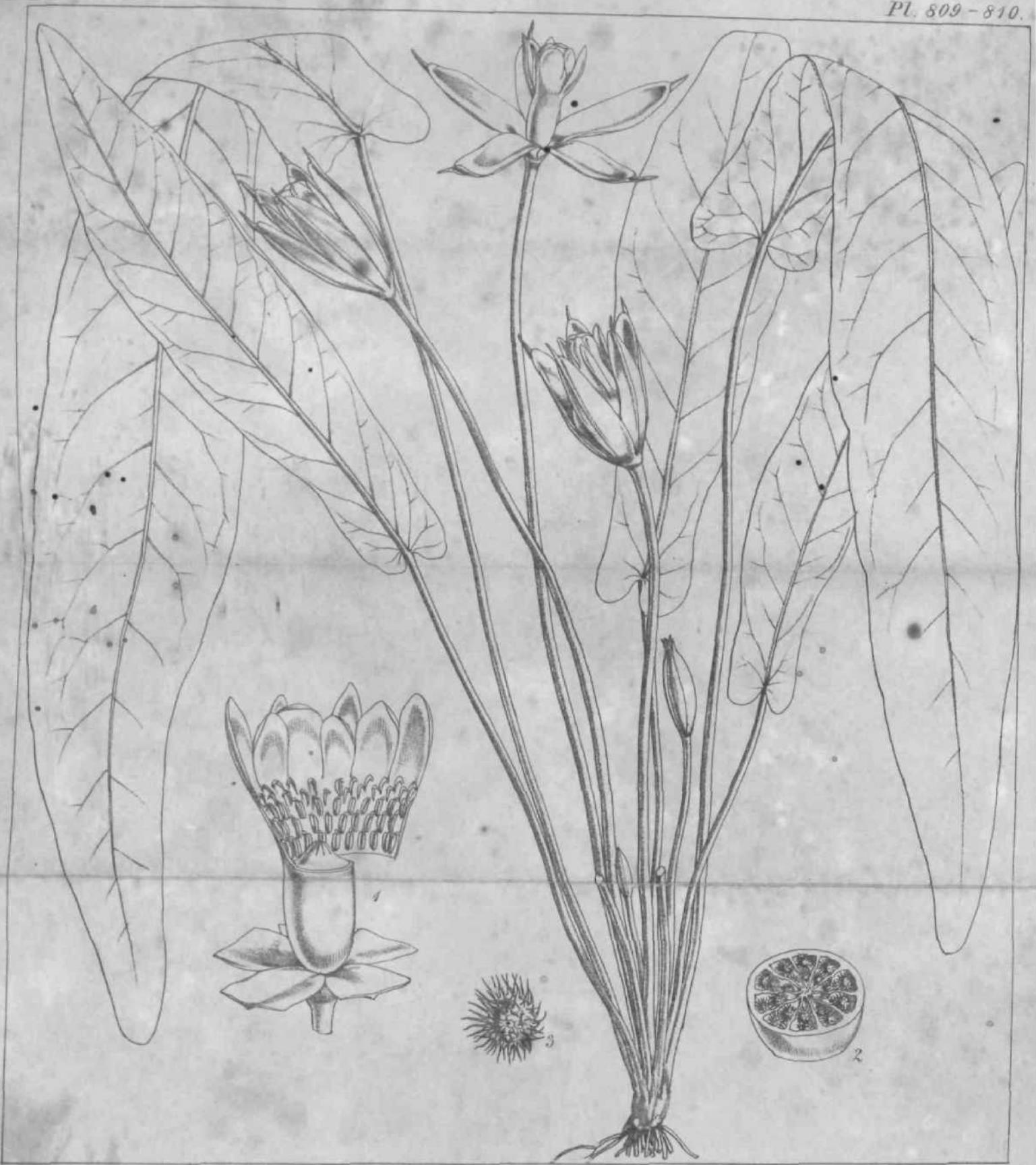
Farsetia linearis, Boiss. *PL Orient, in Antiales des 8c. Nat. Zndser. t. 17.p. 150. Walp. Report. JBot. v. 1.p. 139.*

HAB. Muscat, *Aucher-El&y, HerUer d'Orient* (n: 4069). Near Lodianah, Seik country, *Dr. Thos. Thomson* {n. 8).

A rigid, subspinescent, very hoary plant. Our drawing is made from Dr. Thomson's specimens, which precisely accord with Aucher-Eloy's authentic ones in my Herbarium, and are so named by Decaisne. Habit of *JF. JSgyptiaca*,* as the author just mentioned well observes, but the smaller flowers, short peduncles, and above all the very narrow pods will at once distinguish it. Decaisne further notices its affinity with his *F. longisiliqua*, from Arabia, described, from very imperfect specimens, in the fourth volume of the 'Annales' above quoted, p. 69, when he speaks of the pods as 2 inches long and || lines broad. This latter plant is probably the same as *Matthiola stglosa*, Hochst. et Steud., found at Dschedda, *IF. Schimper*, Herb. Arab. Un. Itin. p. 860, and of 8. *Fise&er*, Herb. Arab. n. 4; on one of my specimens of which, with entirely the habit of *F. linearis*, is a pod nearly 2 inches long. Another allied plant is what our valued correspondent Dr. Stocks has sent us from Scinde (Beluchistan) as "*Arabis /leliop&ila?*" more herbaceous, however, not at all spinescent, and with pods 2£ inches long: this Capt. Munro recognizes as *Cheiranthus Farsetia*, Herb. Ham. in Wall. Cat. 4801, *Farsetia Hamiltoniana*, Boyle, and *Arabis incanescem*, Munro's^r Plants of Agra/

Fig. 1. Flower. /. 2. Petal. /. 3.. Stamens and pistil, /. 4. Itipe pod. f. 5. Seed:—magnified.

* *F. Jfyptiaca* has been detected in Affghanistaii by Mr. Griffith.



TAB. DCCCIX., DCCOX.

BARCLAYA LONGIYOLIA, *Wall*

GEN. CHAR. *Calyx* 4-5-lobus, tubo elongato inferne cum ovurio adnato. *Corolla* 4-5-petala, petalis oblongis insequalibus, inferne cum tubo calycis unitis. *Stamina* subquinqueserialia, perianthii tubo inserta, in singula serie subdecem, scrierum % superiorum sterilia, reliqua fertilia. *Antkera* fere sessilcs, oblongse, biloculares, loculis longitudinaliter dehiscentibus. *Ovarium* inferum, oblongum, 10-locularc, pluriovulatum. *Stylus* conicus, brevissimus. *Stigma* depresso-umbilicatum, obscure radiatum, margine 10-laciniatum; laciniis subulatis, ercto-conniventibus. *Bacca* carnosa, globosa, matura calycc non coronata. *Semina* globosa, setis carnosis undique tecta.—*Herba* (annua?) *aquatica Burmanica*, *acaulis*. ita&vLfibrosa. *Folia*^fere *Scolopendrii officinalis*, *membranacea*, *longe petiolata*, *pennivenia*. ' *Scapi folio breviores*, *simplices*, *uniflori*. *Flos* *involucratus*. InvoMifti persistentis 5-pAylli foliola oblongo-lanceolata, ad basin floris verticillata, concava, patentia, uninervia, *membranacea*, extus infra apicem mucronata.

Barclaya longifolia, *Wall*.

Barclaya longifolia, *Wall*, in *Linn. Trans*, v. 15. p. 443. 1.18.

Walp. Bepert. v. l.p. 108.

HAB. Burman Empire, near Rangoon in Pegu, *Dr. Wallich*, August 1826. Mergui, *Griffiths* (*in Herb, nostr.*). Moulmein, *Thos. Lobb*.

There are few botanists, who, upon a casual inspection of this very rare plant, would suspect it to be Nymphseaceous; but much as the leaves may differ from that family, yet the flowers have a very, close resemblance in structure to those of *Euryale*. We have really nothing to add to* the full and admirable description of this plant by its discoverer, given in the volume of 'Linnsean Transactions'¹¹ above quoted. We are disposed to consider the real calyx to be superior (no less than the corolla), as in the genus just mentioned. Hence the five exterior and inferior leaflets will be considered as an involucre, as in *Hepatica* among *Raminculacea*, and *Todophyllum* in *PodopAyllacea*.

Fig. 1. Flower, the perianth la^d open, most of the involucral leaves removed. /. 2. Transverse section of an immature fruit. /. 3. Immature seed:—magnified.



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N. O. Begomaccac. -

TAB. DCOOXI.

BEGONIA VERTICILLATA, *Hook.*

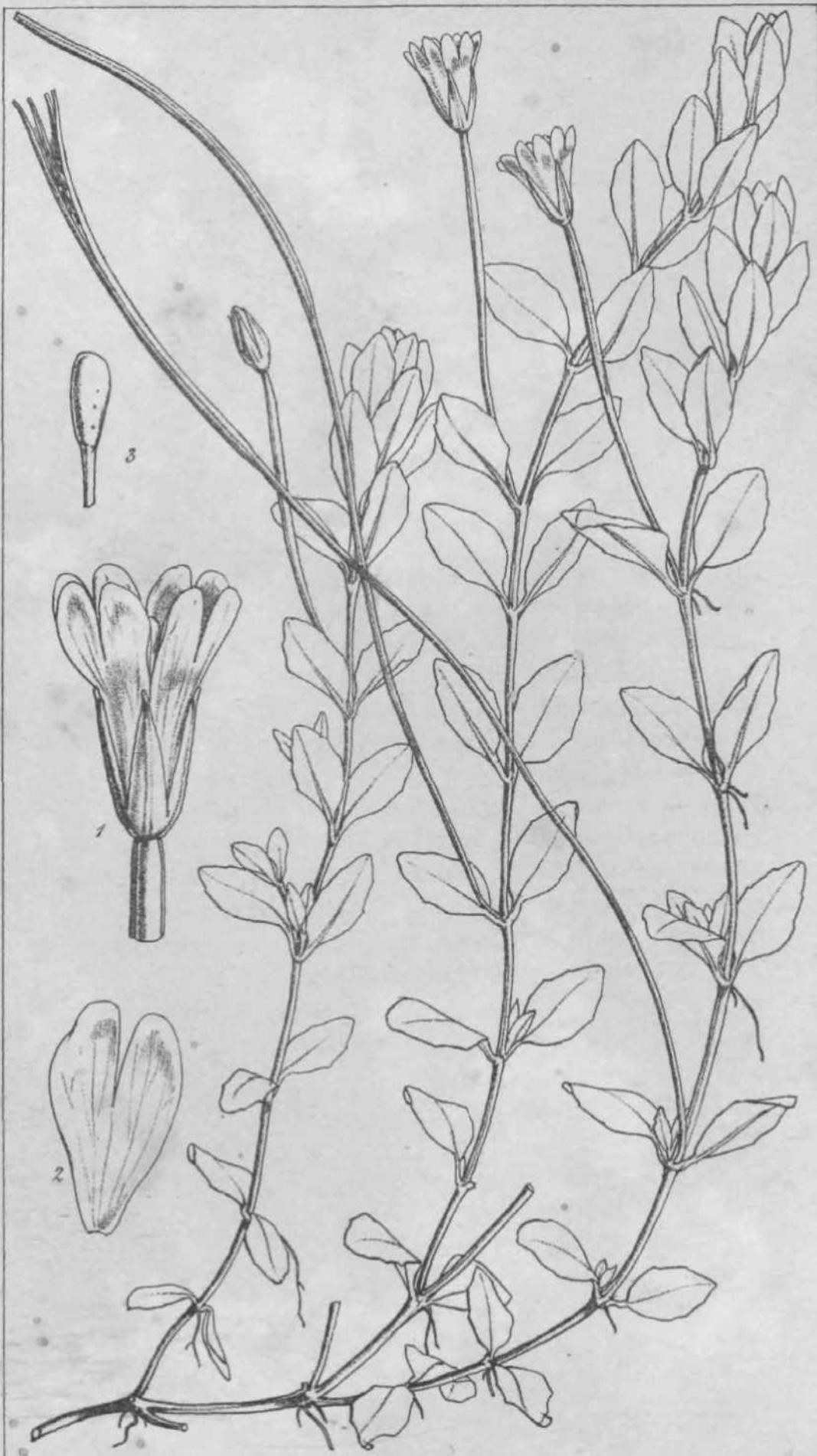
Annua parva erecta, caule simplice glabro apice folioso, foliis sublonge petiolatis patentibus verticillatis cordato-ovatis acuini-natis pilosulis inciso-lobatis vix insequilateris, pedunculis terminalibus folio longioribus gracillimis dichotomo-paniculatis, ramis paucis bracteolatis, capsulis alato-triquetris, ala unica » elongata oblique ovata.

HAB. Moulmein, *Tim. Loll* (»; 882).

Root, small, annual, tufted, fibrous. *Stem* 2-4 or 5 inches long, about as thick as a crow's quill, erect, reddish, glabrous, quite destitute of leaves except at the summit; these (from four to eight or ten, or even twelve) form a whorl on long (often longer than the blade) slender *petioles*, ovato-cordate, acuminate, membranaceous (when dry), 1£ to nearly 2 inches long, inciso-lobate, scarcely inequilateral, glabrous, or with very scattered succulent minute hairs. *Eeduncles* (two to four) terminal, from the centre of the whorl, very slender, capillary, longer than, and frequently twice as long as, the leaves, panicled above; the branches few, dichotomous, bracteolate: *Iracteoles* obovato-roundate, glandulously ciliate. *Flowers* small, apparently white: both male and female of four spreading *sepals*, two suborbicular, concave, two smaller, oblong. *Staminal column* with about eight stamens, large, oblong *anthers*. *Stigmas* bifid, the segments somewhat twisted. *Capsule* triquetrous; two angles with very indistinct wings, approximate, the third running out into a large, ovate wing, pointing a little upwards.

I can nowhere find any description of *Begonia* it all corresponding with this, which was detected by Mr. Thomas Lobb, while collecting for Messrs. Veitch of Exeter.

Fig. 1. Male, and/. 2, female flower v—*magnified*.



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N. 0. Onagrariese.

TAB. DCCCXII.

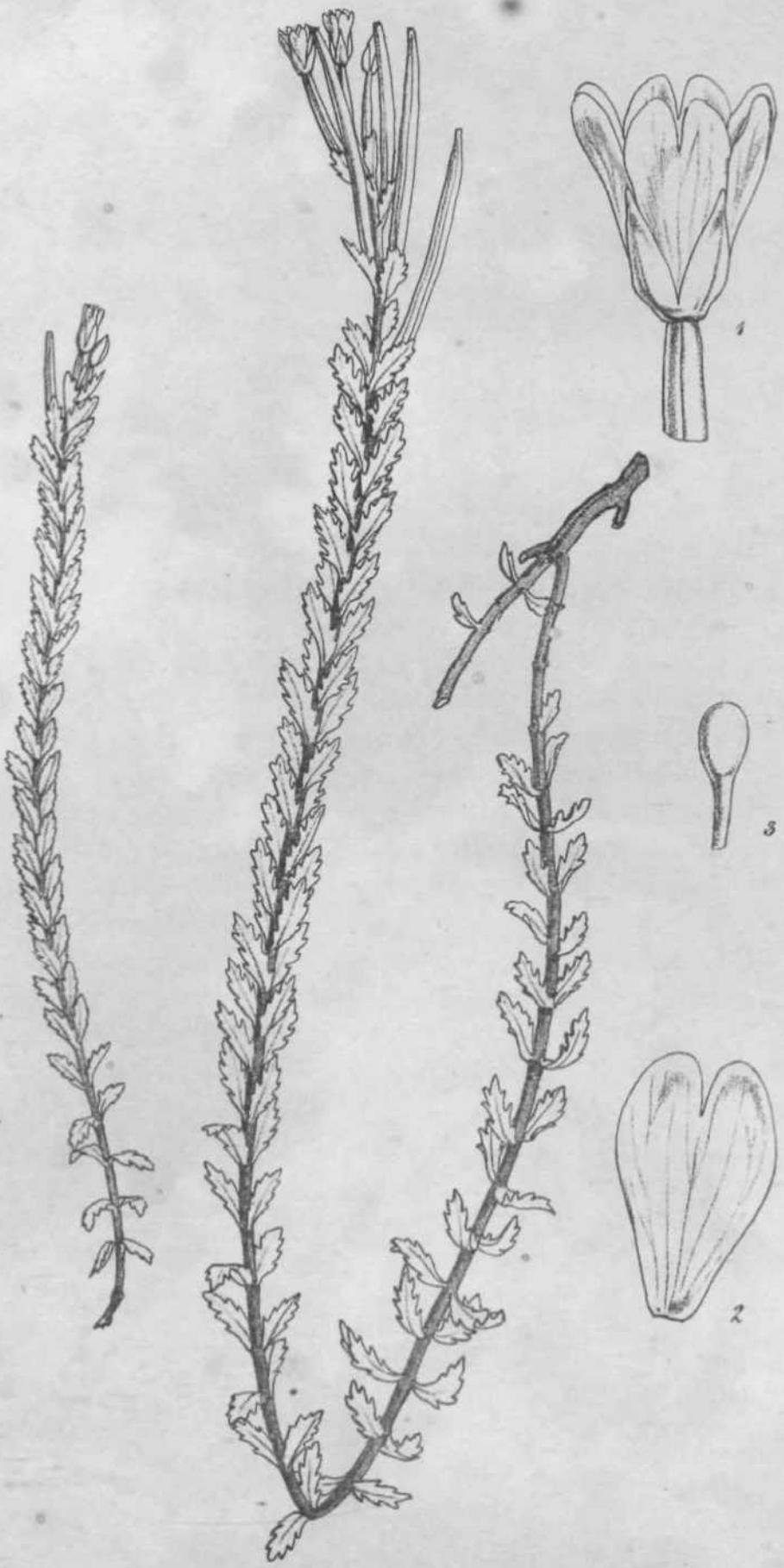
EPILOBTUM MACROPUS, *Hook.*

Glaberrimum, caule repente ramoso, ramis ad axillas radicantibus,
*> foliis oppositis petiolatis ovato-ellipticis acutiusculis obsolete
sinuato-dentatis, pedunculis axillaribus fructiferis valde elon-
gatis, petalis (albis) profunde bifidis, stigmate clavato integro.

HAB. Bunning water, on sand: mountains, Wairau, near Nelson,
southern island, New Zealand, *Mr. Sidwill* (*n.* 20).

A much-creeping and very radicant plant, varying from a few inches to a foot in length. Not one of Allan Cunningham's brief descriptions of species tallies with this, whose nearest affinity is perhaps with *E. alpinum* (itself, indeed, a very variable and widely dispersed plant):—but this is larger in all its parts, the leaves much broader, more decidedly petiolate, the stems and branches more rooting, flowers more numerous, not drooping in bud, and the most remarkable feature is the great elongation of the peduncle after flowering, sometimes to four inches in length.

Fif. 1. Flower.* /. 2. Petal. /. 3. Stigma:—*magnified.*



TAB. DCCCXIII.

EPILOBIUM MELANOCAULON, *Hook.*

Basi fruticosum fasciculatum ramosum, ramis elongatis erectis tetra-
x quetris nigris angulis prsecipue cano-puberulis, foliis oppositis
approximates ^umerosis subinxbricatis superioribus alternis
lanceolatis acutis sessilibus glaberrimis subramosis grosse den-
tatis costatis enervosis costis subtus nigricantibus, floribus ex
axillis supremis, ovariis (capsulisque) linearibus triquetris glabris
subsessilibus, petalis bifidis, stigmate globoso-clavato integro.

HAB. New Zealand; growing in dense tufts: sands in the bed
of the Wairau, southern island, Mr. *Bidioill.* About Lake
Taupo, south of the northern island, Rev. W. *Colenso.*

A well-marked species of a most troublesome genus. Mr.
Goleno calls it a red-leaved species; when dry the leaves are
reddish-brown, with a black costa on the underside: they appear,
also, to be succulent when fresh, and they are very, strongly
toothed. The stem and branches are wiry, invatiably black,
slightly hoar^, especially at the angles. *Flowers* small. *Pedun-*
cles much shorter than the leaves, indeed scarcely any. *Petals*
rose-colour.

Fig. 1. Flowen. / 2 . Petal. /. 8. Stigma '.—magnified.



Bidmilliam.

N. O. Scrophularine○.

TAB. DCCCXIV.

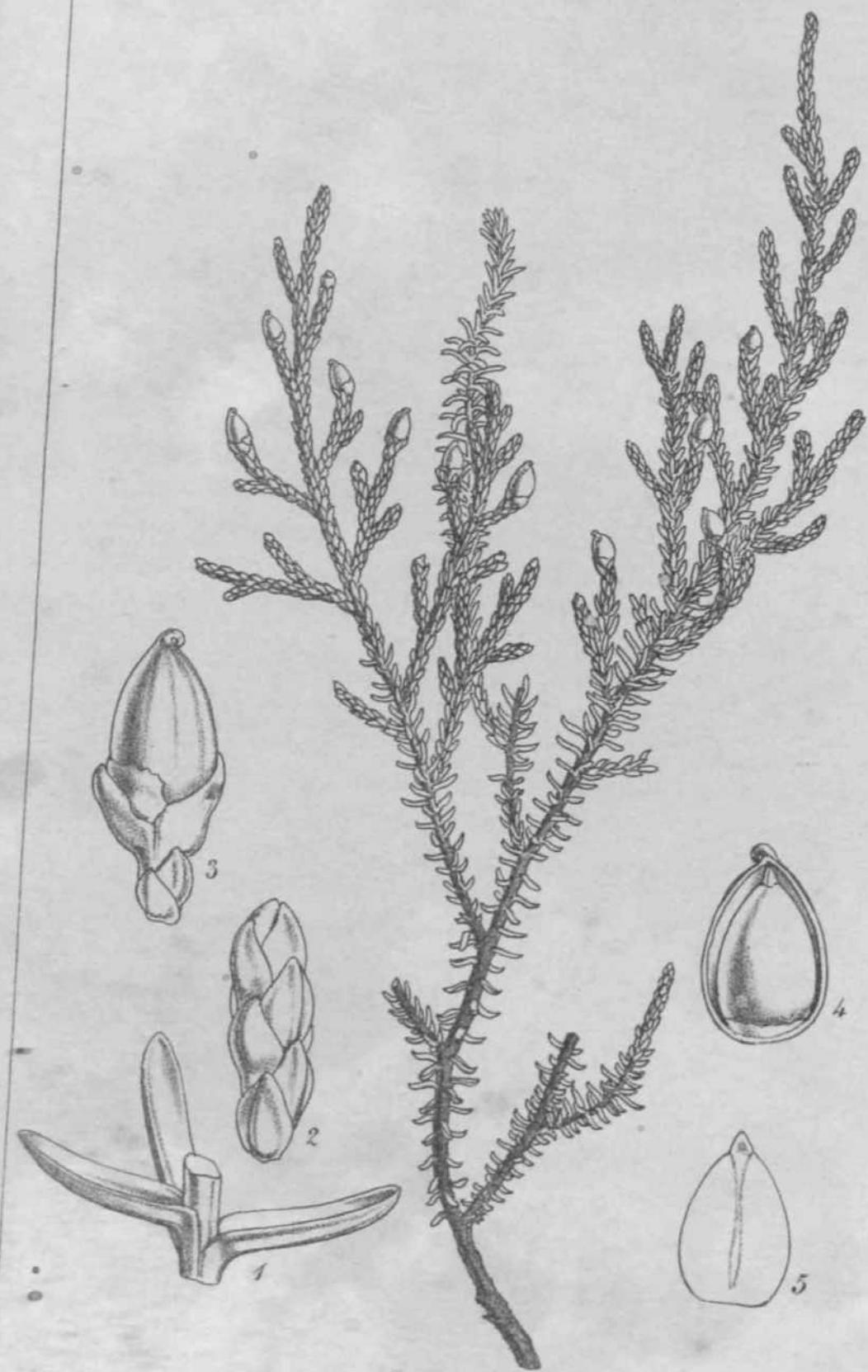
VERONICA *BWWUJJ,'Hook.*

Suffruticosa repens ramosissima glabra, ramis bifariam pubescentibus, foliis approximate parvis rotundatis coriaceis 8-5-crenato-lobatii rarius integerrimis in petiolum brevem attenuatis, pedunculis axillaribus elongatis, floribus racemosis, pedicellis flores sequantibus fructiferis elongatis, calycis segmentis ovato-lanceolatis, bracteis parvis linearibus, capsulisque (parvis) obcordato-ellipticis didymis pedicello multo brevioribus stylo persistente terminatis.

HAB. Bed of the River Wairau, New Zealand, about 2,250 feet above the level of the sea, *Mr. Bidmill* (*n.* 15).

Quite a new *Veronica*, from a country eminently rich in species of the genus. Its nearest affinity is *V. nivea*, Hook, fil., supra, t. 640; but that has much larger and much crenated leaves, procumbent, but not creeping steins, short peduncles, and those peduncles, bracteas, and the calyces densely glanduloso-hirsute. The flowers of *F. Bidwilli* are described by its discoverer as white, streaked with pinkish-lilac lines.

Fig. 1. Flower. / 2. Fruit .—*magnified.*



TAB. DCCCXV.

DAGRYDIUM LAXIFOLIUM, *Hook.fil.*

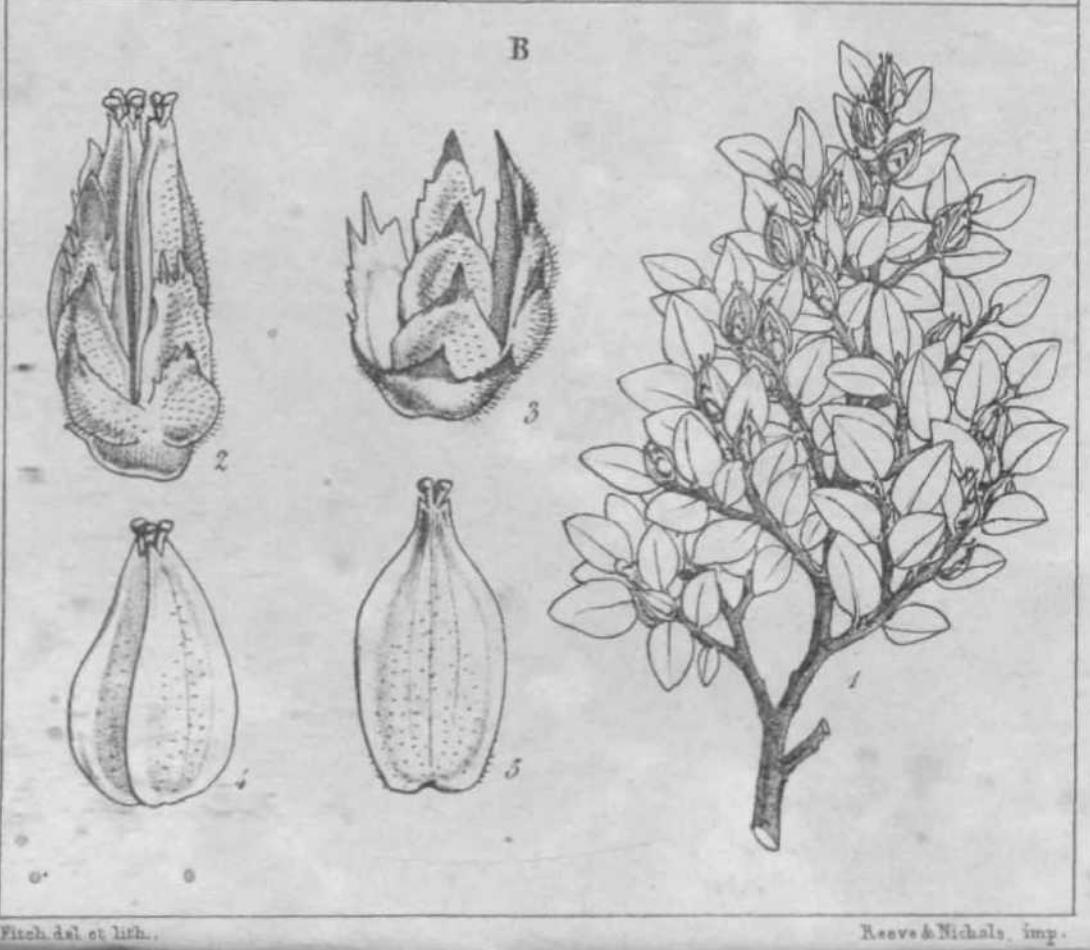
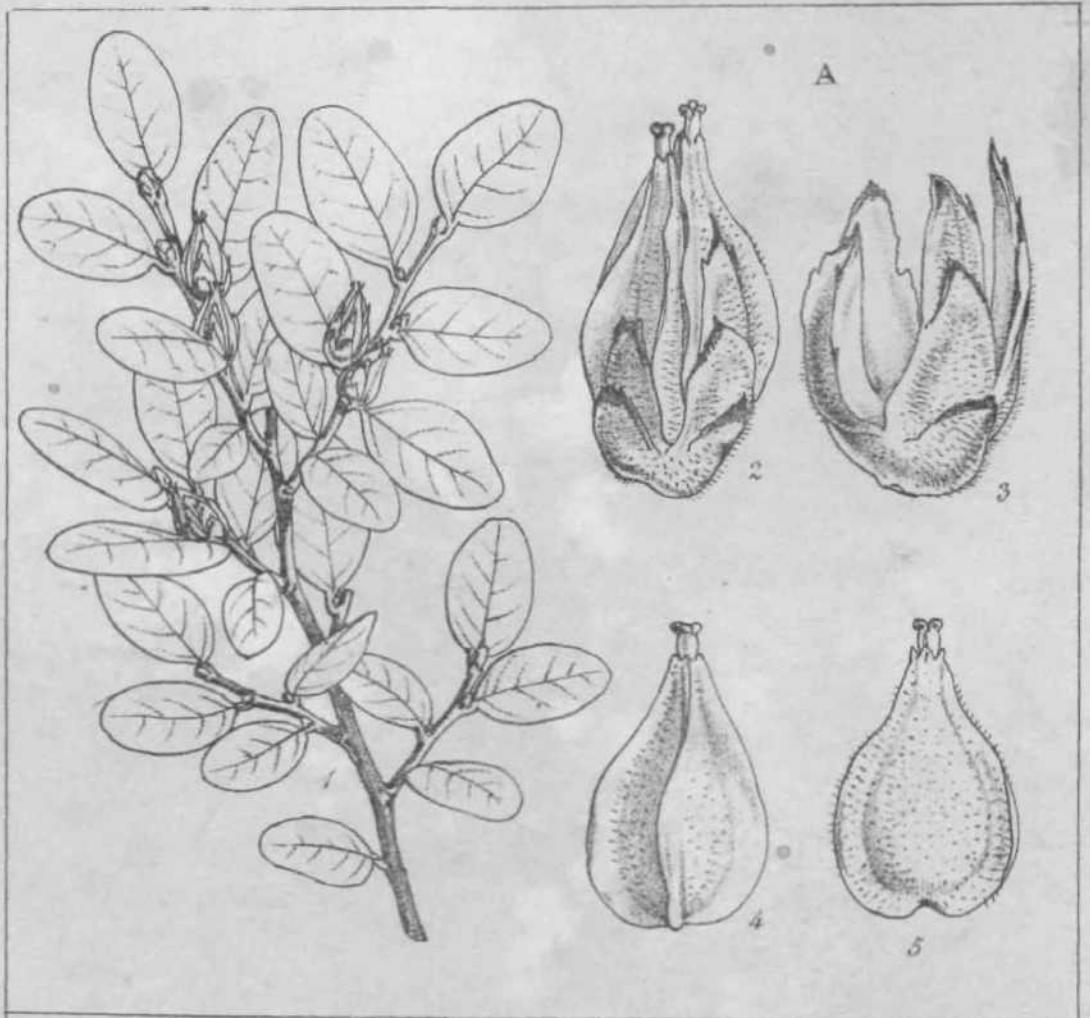
Humile fruticosum, ramis prostratis laxe ramosis gracilibus, foliis undique insertis sparsis laxe patentibus linearibus obtusis cuneaceis supra canaliculatis supremis imbricatis ovatis brevioribus dorso carinati:, fructibus terminalibus solitariis erectis.

Dacydium laxifolium. *Hook.fil. in Lond. Journ. Bot. v. 4. jo. 143 (note).*

HAB. New Zealand, near the summit of Tongariro, northern island, *Mr. Bidwill* (*n. 5 and 133*); *Colenso* (*n. 60*).

Dr. Hooker, when describing this plant in the 'London Journal of Botany' above quoted, from Mr. Bidwill's specimens, although expressing an opinion that it might possibly prove an alpine form of some known species, yet was more inclined to consider it truly distinct and new; and this view seems to be confirmed by Mr. Colenso having since communicated specimens which are quite unaltered from that described. The species seems wholly confined to the mountain Tongariro, where it forms a lax procumbent small shrub, not much unlike *Empetrum nigrum*.

Fig. 1. Lower leaves. /. 2. Upper do. /, 3. Fruit. /. 1. Section of a fruit. /. 5. Section of a seed --magnified.



TAB. D0CCXV1.

A.

FAGUS SOLANDM, *Hook.fil.*

(v. Tab. 639.)

The present figure (A), as well as the following (B), is given for the sake of representing the *fruit*, which was unknown to us when we gave our representation of the male plant at Tab. 639 of this work. Mr. Colenso has sent us fruiting specimens from the banks of the Makaroro, Fort Nicholson, &c. The cupule consists of from seven to nine ovate* acute, unequal, downy scales, united by their bases, which enclose two or three triquetrous, downy nuts, the angled winged.

Fig. 1. Fruiting branch:—natural size. *f.* 2. Bipe fruit.
f. 3. Cupule; the nuts being removed. *f** 3, 4. Back and front view of nuts :—*magnified*.

B.

FAGUS CLIFFOUTIOIDES, *Uook.fil.*

(v. Tab. 673.)

The fruit of this, also sent by Mr. Colenso, differs but little from that of *F. Solandri*; it is more oblong, and the scales are more acute! The nuts are rather irregularly ovate than cordate, triquetrous, less winged.

Eg. 1. Fruiting branch:—natural size. *f.* 2. Fruit. *f.* 3. Cupule. *f.* 4, 5. Front and back view of a fruit:—*magnified*.



TAB. DCCCXVII.

CHRYSOBACTRON HOOKERI, *Colenso.*

Foliis lincari-ligulatis acuminatis, racemis laxifloris, ovario nh-
ovato, capsula basi in stipitein attenuata.

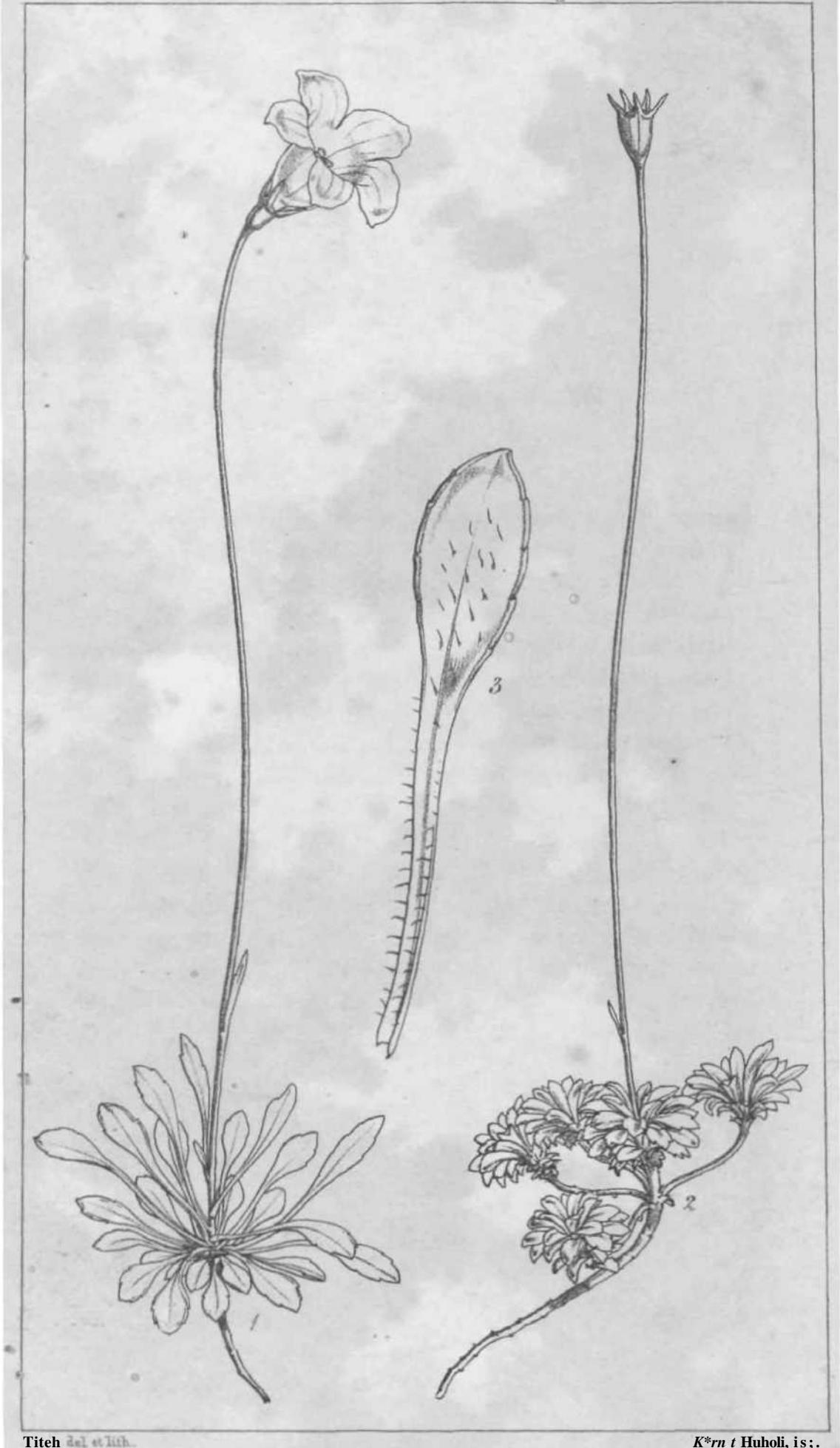
Chrysobactron Hookeri, *Col. in litt.*

HAB. New Zealand. In great abundance in the richer parts of
the alluvial plain of the upper part of the Wairau, *Mr.
Bidwill, n. 83.* Sides of watercourses, country between
Buahine Eange and Taupo, plentiful, *Bev. W. Colenso, n. 98£*
and *n. 1850.*

My first acquaintance with this plant was through my valued friend Mr. Bidwill, who sent it as a new *Chrysobactron*, Hook, fil, but without flowers, as here represented, and with the following remarks:—"Boot with very large fleshy fibres; bulb very small. Leave* eighteen inches long, yellowish-green, deciduous. Scape two feet to thirty inches high. It grows in great clumps in boggy places, and is ;aid to cover the plain with a sheet of yellow when in bloom. Some of the masses are three feet in diameter. Yellow flowers seem very scarce in New Zealand/' In the following year I received specimens from the Rev. W. Colenso, and in flower (as well as fruit), when it was too late to introduce the flowers into the plate. "Another prize," exclaims Mr. Colenso in his letter, "which I believe to be a new *Chrysobactron*! and therefore venture to name it *C. Hookeri*, in honour of my good friend and your dear son. 'I could not procure any good specimens, as all—everywhere—had been scorched up with fires, extending many miles. I have it, however, flourishing in my garden.'—Whether in fruit or in flower the species shows itself to be very distinct from *C. Bossii*.*—At this moment (June 20, 1851) plants of *C. Hoolceri*, sent by Mr. Colenso, are flowering in the Royal Gardens, and a coloured figure in that state will 'be given in the Botanical Magazine.

Fig.. Fruit, with (as is often the case) the persistent perianth and filaments of the stamens. *f. 2.* Transverse section- of do. */. 3.* Seed. *f. 4.* Transverse section of do. */. 5.* Embryo:—*magnified.*

* The latter may be thus defined :—*C. Rossii*, Hook, fil.; foliis lato-ligulatis, racemis densifloris, ovario bad latiore sessili, fructu conico-ovato. *Hab.* Auckland Island, */. D. Hooter.*



Midwilliana.

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TAB. DCCCXVITI.

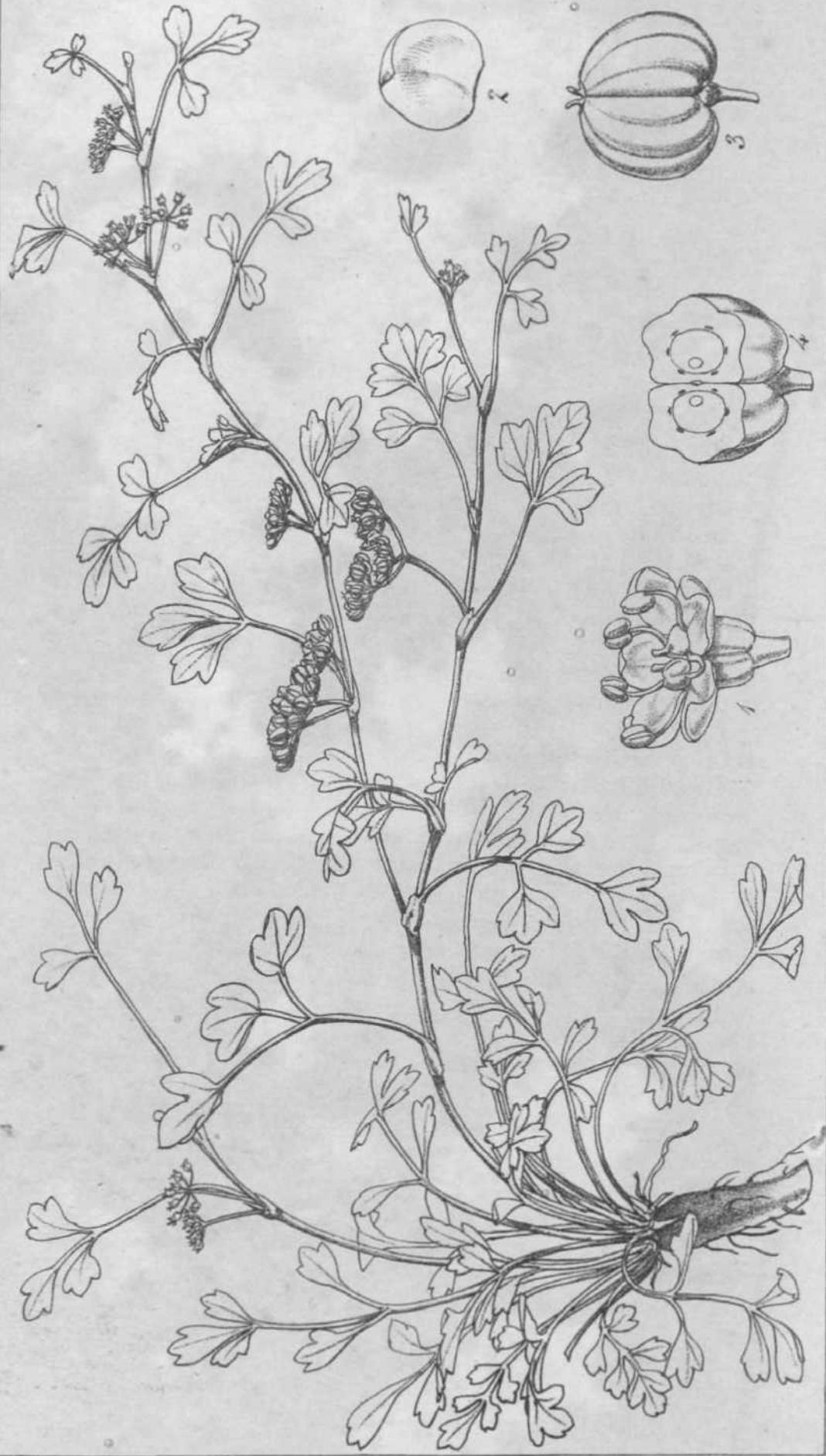
WAHLENBERGIA ALBOHARGINATA, *Hook*,

Annua, radice 1-8-cipite, foliis radicalibus rosulatis spathulatis in petiolum planum ciliatnm longe attenuatis superne plerumque hirsutis intffgerrimis v. crenato-serratis margine incrasato albo, scapo solitario (spithamseo) inferne subunibracteato tereti unifloro, flore erecto, calycis tubo turbinato 10-striato lobis subulato-lanceolatis ©quilongis, corolla campanulata calycem triplo superante, capsula calycis lobis coronata oblongo-turbinata nitida 3-loculari apice 3-valvi, valvis minutis.

HAB. Mountains at the head of the Wairau valley, near Nelson, elev. 2,000 to 5,000 feet, New Zealand; flower blue. *Mr. Bidwill.*

No species like this has anywhere been described: a very nearly allied one, however, will be published by Dr. Hooker in his forthcoming Flora of New Zealand, but having angular scapes almost invariably and entirely leafless, with the radical leaves everywhere quite glabrous, scarcely, if at all, thickened at the margin, and the margin never white.

*Fig. 1. Flowering, and/. 2 fruiting specimen:—nat. size. f. 3.
Leaf:—magnified.*



TAB. DCCCXIX.

APIUM FILIFORME, A. Rich.; j3. trifidum, Hook.

Parvum omnino prostratum, radice fusiformi, caulis filiformibus, foliis ternatim vel radicalibus prsecipue quinato- (et tune pinnatim) -sectis sublonge petiolatis, pinnis rotundato-cuneatis trifidis ssepius incisis, umbellis lateralibus paucifloris, fructu orbiculari compresso, mericarpiis 5-costatis, costis latiusculis semiteretibus elevatis hevibus.

a. foliorum lobis saepissime incisis.

Petroselinum filiforme. A. Rich. Toy. de VAstrolabe, Bot. v. 1. p. 278. All' Cunn. Fl. Nov. Zel. in Ann. Nat.- Hist. v. 2. p. 212. Raoul, Choixde PL de la Nbuv. Zél. p. 46.

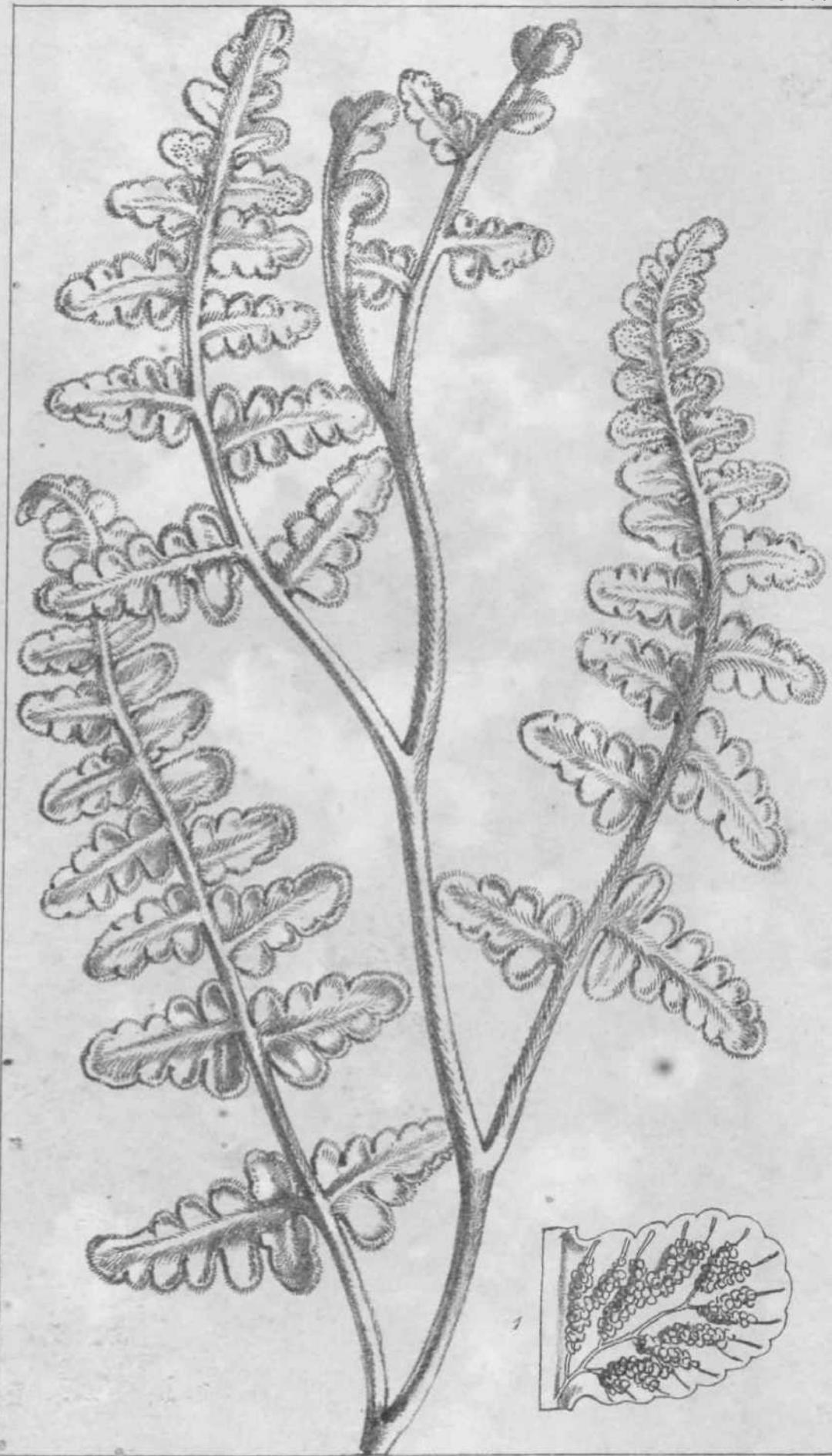
j3. caulis minus gracilibus, foliorum lobis integerrimis. TAB. NOSTR. 819.

HAB. Near Nelson, New Zealand, Mr. Bidmill (n. 94 A).

This will undoubtedly rank near to the Australian *Petro%dhwm prostratm*, De Caijd., which La Billardière had more correctly placed with *Apium*. Indeed Dr. Hooker, in his 'Flora Antarctica' has united the latter plant with the *Apium graveolens*, into which it does seem to pass by insensible gradations. It is possible, indeed, that *Petros. filiforme* may prove a link to unite our present plant with *A. prostratum*: in other words, that our plant now figured may be an extreme variety of *A. graveolens*. The root is fusiform. The umbels are on short peduncles, not sessile as described by A. Bichard, nor are they so in what we take to be the *imz filiforme* gathered in New Zealand in various localities (his n. 89, 230, 2047 for example) by Mr. Colenso.

At our Vol. IV. Tab. 305 we have figured a remarkable form of *Petroselinum (Apium) prostratum*, with unusually long and narrow segments to the leaves.

fflff.l. Flower. / . 2. Petal. / 3 . Fruit. / 4. Transverse section of do.:—*magnified*.



Lobbiance.

N. O. Filices.

TAB. DCCCXX.

GYMNOQILAMME .iUKEO-NITENS, *Hook.*

Scandens ? tota aureo-sericea tomcntosa nitens bipinnatu ilexuosa, **pionis** sublonge petiolatis deltoideo-lanceolatis apice pinnatifid, pinnulis alteruis crasso-coriaceis sessilibus oblongo-deltoideis obtusissimis profnnde pinnatifidis apiee integris, lobis rotundatis obtusis crenato-dentatis, sons ssepe furcatis, rachib**us** crassis.

HAB. Andes of Peru, *Mr. Wm. Lohh.*

A very remarkable and beautiful Fern, in some respects according with Kunze's description of *O'. ferruginea*, in Linnsea, v. 9. p. 34j but that species is said to have the "frond pinnato-pinnatifid, pinnatifid at the apex/" characters which accord **with** the pin use or primary divisions of this species, but by no means portraying the **character of** our present plant; and "laciniis subtus **ferragineo-tomentosis,**" while our species is every win IT and uniformly clothed \rith the same aureo-nitent silky tomentmn. The fructifications are only visible on removing the tomentum, **when** the forked nerves **will** be found to bear the sori, \vhich are simple or more frequently forked.

Fig. 1. Lower lube of a pinnule seen [nun the underside, the woolly covering having been removed :—*magnified.*



TAB. DOCGXXL, DCCCXXII.

PHYSORHYNCHIUS BIAHUICUS, Hook.

GEN. CUA». PHYSORHYNCHUS, *Hook.* *Sepala* erecta, basi subaequalia. *Petala* longe unguiculata, laminis ellipticis. *Sabminum* *Jilamenta* libera, edentula. *Ovarium* biloculare, longe crasse rostratum; *loculis* in rostro continuis, et ibi seminiferis. *Stylus*, seu ovarii pars superior, columnaris, in rostro maxime accrescente spongioso seminifero continuus, loculis demum rostri incremento pseudo-4-locularis, inferioribus veris nanis, superioribus biovulatis, funiculis magis minusvc elongatis. *Stigma* capitatuin, bilobum. *Fructus* maturm (rostro magno ovato-acuminato persistente) ampullseformis, subcoriaceus, inferne bivalvis, *valvis* oppositis minutissimis deciduis: loculis inferioribus obsoletis vacuis, superioribus (in rostro) singulo dispermo. *Semina* subtriangiliari-globosa, punctulata. *Cotyledones* plano-hemisphericse, conduplicatse; *radicula* oblique accumbente.—*Planta* *Scindica*, *biennis*, *bi-tripedalis*, *glauca*, basi suffruticosa, superne joaniculata. *Folia* *obovata*, in petiolurn, attenuaia, superiora sensim minora, sessilia, oblongo-lanceolata, basi semiamplemcaulia, biauricMata. Eaceli elongatiyfructiferi divaricatissimi.

Physorhynchus Brahuicus.

HAB. Brahuic hills of Scinde, Dr. J. B. Stocks. Afghanistan, Griffith (n. 1550).

This highly curious plant was sent with many excellent remarks by Dr. Stocks, as a genus "distinct from *Didesmus*" to which its fruit seems at first sight to be allied. Dr. Planchon has in my Herbarium pointed out its real affinity with *Fortuynia*, Shuttlew., wanting, however, the remarkable wings to the fruit. The structure of the fruit here is, indeed, very remarkable; the greater proportion being occupied by what Dr. Stocks, I think justly, considers a beak. The young ovary (f. 5.) has usually four seeds and on each side of the dissepiments two chambers' (psudo-loculi) "one above the other, separated by a slight constriction. The lower ones are the true carpillary cavities, the upper are hollowed out of the rostrum. The latter generally have all 4 ovules in them, one often hanging down into the carpillary cavity (apparently never ripening there). This lower portion of the fruit does not increase in size like the beak, as the seeds advance to maturity; but forms a short stipes to the flask-shaped beak, still more (fiminislicd in size when the valves fall away (f. 6, 7, 8, 9). The lower leaves are thick and fleshy, and when eaten like the garden cabbage are really excellent." Stocks.

Fig. 1. Flower. /. B. Petal. /. 3. Stamens and pistil. /. 4. Pistil. / 5. Section of pistil. /. 6. Eipe fruit. /. 7. Vertical section of immature fruit. /. 8. Transverse section of do; /. 9. A valve from the ripe fmit. f. 10. Vertical section of ripe fruit. /. 11. Seed. /. 12. Kmbryo:—*magnified*.



TAB. DCCCXXIIL

RHABDIA VIMINEA, *Wall.*

Foliis glabris oblongo-cuneatis basi in petiolum perbreyem attenuatis, floribus paucis in ramos parvos proprios terminalibus.

Rhabdia viminea, *Dalzell*, M88. in *Herb. Nostr.*

Ehretia viminea, *Wall.* Cat.n. 906. De Cand. Prodr.p. 509.*

Ehretia cuneata, *Wight*, Ic. Plant. Ind. Or. v. 4.t.1385.

HAB. East Indies; Attran, a river of Martaban, Dr. Wallich. Pundua, *De Sylva*. Moulmein, Thomas Lobb, n. 342. Banks of Cavery river, Madras Peninsula, Dr. Wight. Banks of rivers in the Concan, N. A. *Dalzell*, jEsq.

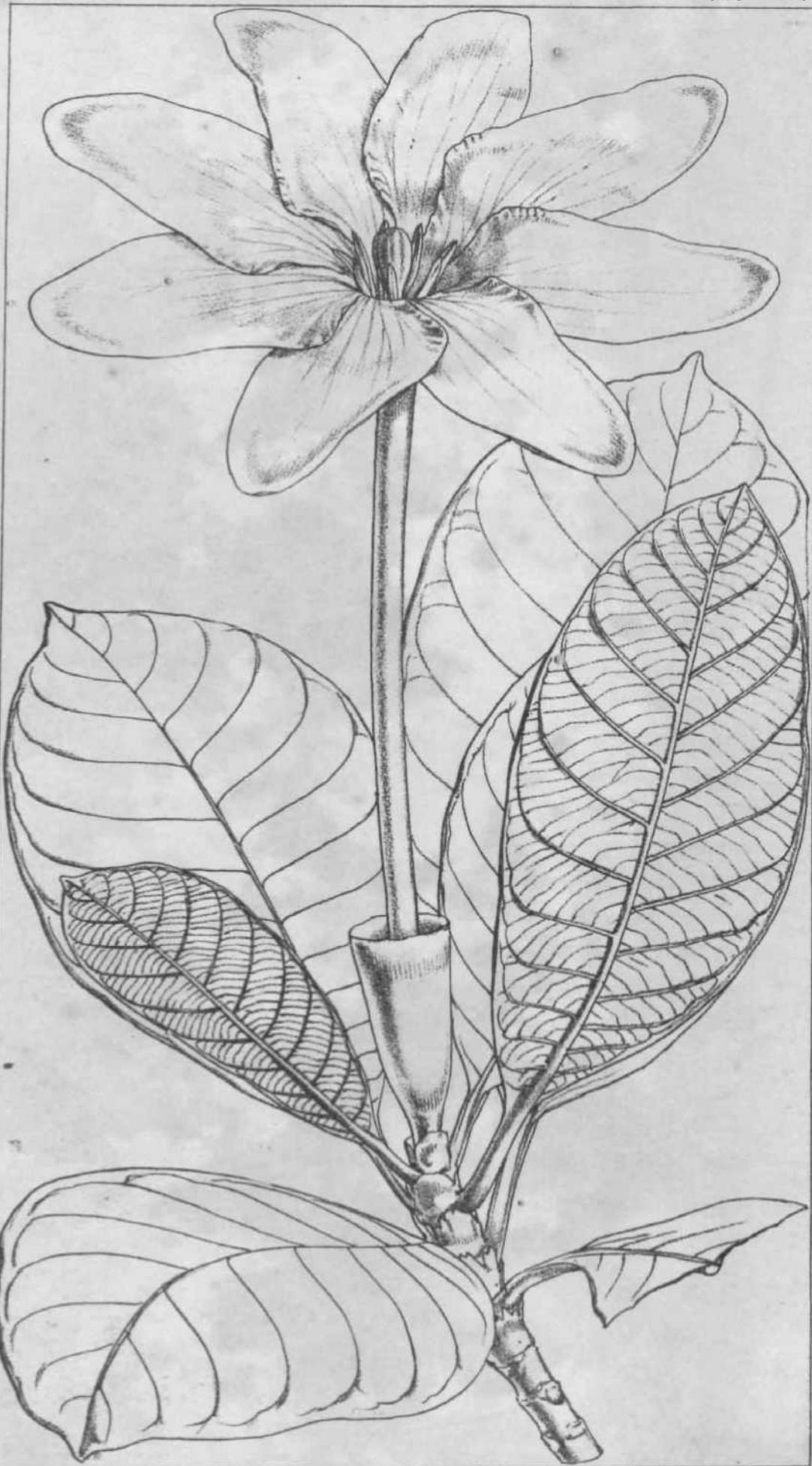
Frutex humilis, facie *Lyciyy* 1-2-pedalis et ultra, valde ramosa, ramis saepe elongatis vimineis, cortice fusco tectis. *Folia* copiosa, alterna, cuneato-oblonga, vix unciam longa, obtusissima, intcgerrima, glabra (juniora pubescens), chartacco-membranacea, basi in petiolum perbrevem attenuata. *Flores* 2-3, subcorymbosi, ad apicem ramorum brevium proprietum. *Calyx* 5-sepalus> sepalis lanceolatis pubescentibus corollae duplo brevioribus. *Corolla* subrotata, tubo brevi, limbo patente 5-lobo, lobis ovalibus, ore nudo. *Staminum* filaments corollae versus medium affixa exserta, nuda. *Anthera* ovatse, introrsum. *Ovarium* ovato-subglobosum, bilobulare, 4-ovulatum. *Style* filiformis, omnino simplex. *Stigma* obscure bilobum. *Fructus*: *bacca* subsicca 4-pyrena. *Semina* suspensa, albuminosa. *Embryonis* *radicula* supera.

My valued correspondent N. A. *Dalzell*, Esq., has, in my opinion, rightly referred this plant to *Rhabdia*, and sent me specimens under that name, from which our figure is made. It is identical with *Ehretia viminea* of Wallich, of which I possess authentic specimens from Martaban and Moulmein, and which no otherwise differ than in their more slender and more twiggy habit and smaller leaves. The plant wants the bifid style of *Ehretia*, and in every respect seems to agree with the Brazilian genus of the same name, founded by Dr. Martius. Mr. *Dalzell* notices its habit as that of a *Lycium*, and the name of the South American species (*L. lycioides*) is derived from its resemblance to that shrub.

Fig. 1. Flower, *f.* 2. The same more expanded. */.* 3. Corolla laid open. */.* 4. Pistil: *f.* 5. Transverse section of ovary, *f.* 6. Fruit. */* 8. Seed. */* 9. Embryo:—magnified.

* Dr. Candolle considers this a doubtful *Ehrelia*, and constitutes for it a section (*Xeroderma*) which in fact corresponds with Von Martius's *Rhabdia*.

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TAB. DCCCXXIV.

IIANDIA SPEOIOSA, *Hook.*

Pruticosa glaberrima, foliis petiolatis coriaceis ellipticis obovatisve obtuse apiculatis nitidis (junioribus vernicosis) pinnatiin venosis venis patentibus approximatis subtus prominentibus transversim copiose venulosis, floribus terinalibus solitariis sessilibus, calyce cylindraceo-campanulato ore truncato, corolle (inter maximas) tubo elongato cylindraceo gracili limbi 8-partiti lobis ovato-oblongis obliquis patentissimis, staminibus 8, stigmate clavato-capitato sulcato.

HAB. Singapore, *Thomas Lobb* (*n.* 483).

It is a pity this fine plant has not yet been introduced to our stoves. I have seen only the specimens which have been sent home by Mr. Lobb to Mr. Veitch, and this species I can nowhere find described. It would seem to exude a good deal of resinous matter, especially the young branches. The flower is peculiarly large, not only long in the tube, but full four inches in the diameter of the limb. This limb is divided to the base into eight lobes (and there are as many stamens). The calyx is large, and between campanulate and cylindrical, quite entire at the mouth. The very base only is united to the ovary. *G. enneandra* of Dr. Wight, Ic. PL Ind. Or. v. 2. t. 574, has a flower somewhat resembling this, but the tube is shorter, the limb has nine segments and -stamens, the calyx is toothed, and the foliage is widely different and nearly sessile.



Lobbiana.

N. 0. Myrsinace*.

TAB. DCCCXXV.

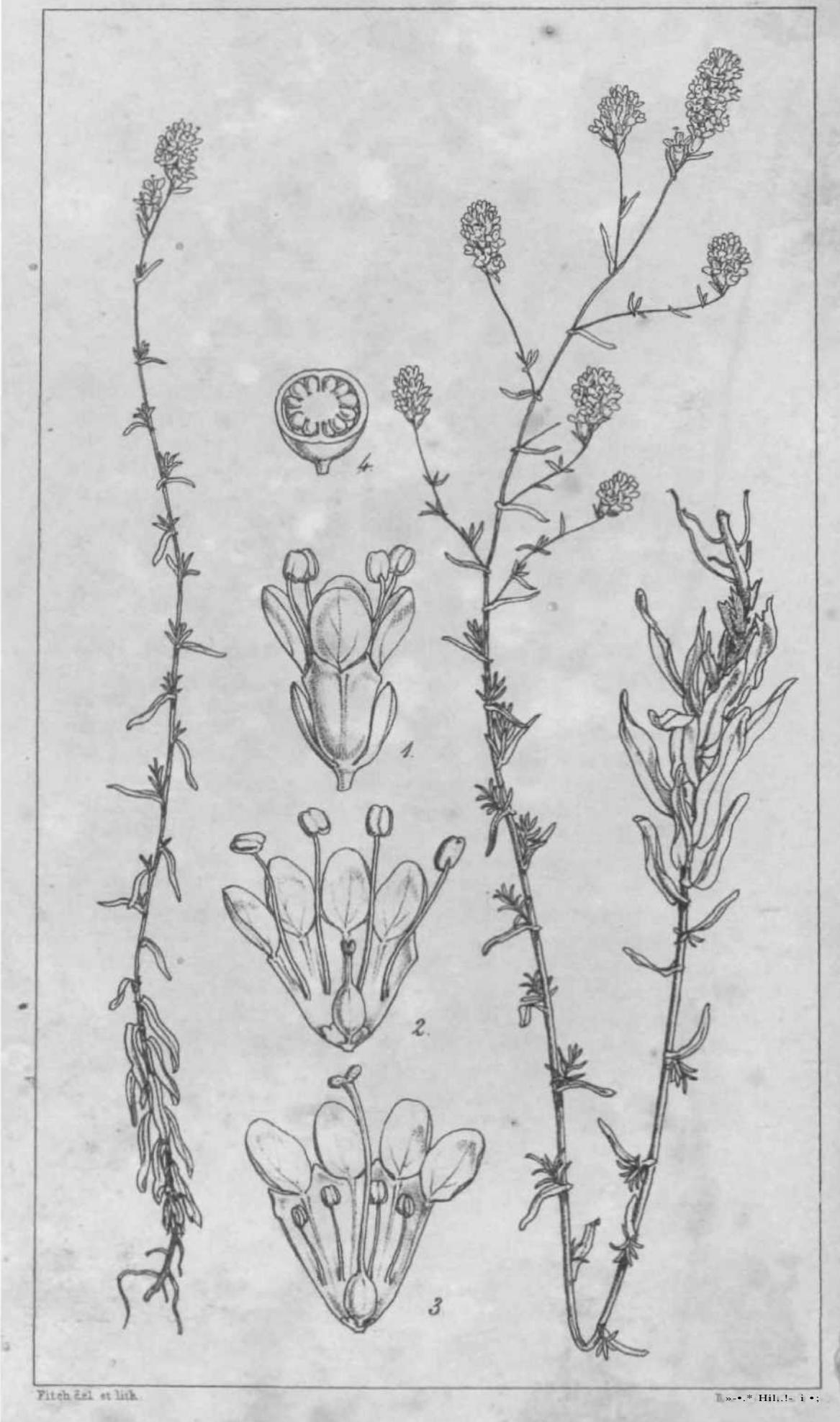
MYBSINE MYKTILLUS, *Hook.*

ttamis puberulis, foliis bifariis brevissime petiolatis ovatis acutis
obsoletissime gerratis coriaceo-membranaceis subtus punctatis,
umbellis axillaribus folio duplo breviōribus, floribus puberulis
dioicis lineatim nigro-punctalis, corollā rotata, staininibus lon-
gitudine laciniarum.

HAB. Lu\$on, *Thomas Lobb* (w. 478).

A small shrub with slender straggling branches and dark brown obscurely pubescent bark. Leaves bifarious, a good deal resembling those of *Vaccinium MTHUIUS*, dotted beneath when seen under a lens. Flowers very small, apparently dioicous: ours having only an abortive pistil. Calyx 4-lobed, downy: lobes acute, with black oblong dots or glands. Corolla with black oblong streaks. Filaments inserted at a little distance from the base of each lobe of the corolla. Anthers large for the size of the flower, ovate. Ovary globose. Style a little longer than the ovary: stigma 4-cleft.—Its nearest affinity is with Wallich's *U. bifaria*: but the two are very different.

*Fig. 1. Flower. /. 2. The same more expanded. /. 3. Abor-
tive pistil;—magnified.*



TAB. DCCCXXVL

AMELETIA FLQBIBUNDA, *Wight.*

Annua erecta glaberrima superne ramosa, foliis alternis lineariibus superioribus prcecipue basi cordato-semiamplexicaulibus, pedunculis gracilimis in ramos terminalibus, racemis spicatis bracteatis subrotundato-ovalibus, bracteolis fere longitudine calycis, floiibns monoicis, petalis (roseis) calycis tubum eequantibus, staminibus longe exsertis.

Ameletia floribunda, *Wight*, *Illnstr. Ind. BoLp.* 206 {excl. reference to the figure).

Nimmonia floritrenda, *Wight*, *Madras Jburn. of Science*, v. 6. p. 84. t. 20.

HAB. A rare plant on hills (apparently in watery places), Maha-bushwur, Bombay, *Nimmo*, 'Dalzell'

A small but most lovely little plant, and, though rare, growing in such dense masses as to present a beautiful appearance with the copious heads of delicate pink-coloured flowers. Dr. Wight first described it as a new genus, *Nimmonia*, but afterwards properly referred it to *Ameletia*, unquestionably its proper place: and it is nearly allied to *A. tennis*, but that has opposite branches, opposite cordate leaves, long tapering spikes, and small (apparently white) flowers, the petals scarcely longer than the teeth of the calyx—as shown in Dr. Wight's *Icônes Plant. Ind. Or.* t. 257 B. In describing the four species of *Ameletia* in the [€] Illustrations of Indian Botany/ the figures, by some mistake of the printer, are transposed or incorrectly quoted. Under *A. Indica* (vol. i. p. 206) should have been quoted "Icon. PL Ind. Or. tab. 257 A." Unde* *A. tennis*, "tab. 258" should be ".tab. 257 B." Under *A. floribunda*, the reference to *Ic. Plant.* should be wholly omitted, for this species is neither figured nor described there. Under *A. rotundifolia*, "tab. 259" should be "tab. 258."

Fig. 1. Male flower. /. 2. The same laid open. /. 3. 1'emale flower laid open. /. 4. Transverse section of an ovary:—magnified.



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TAB. DCCCXXVIL

MITREOLA OLDENLANDIOIDES, Wall.

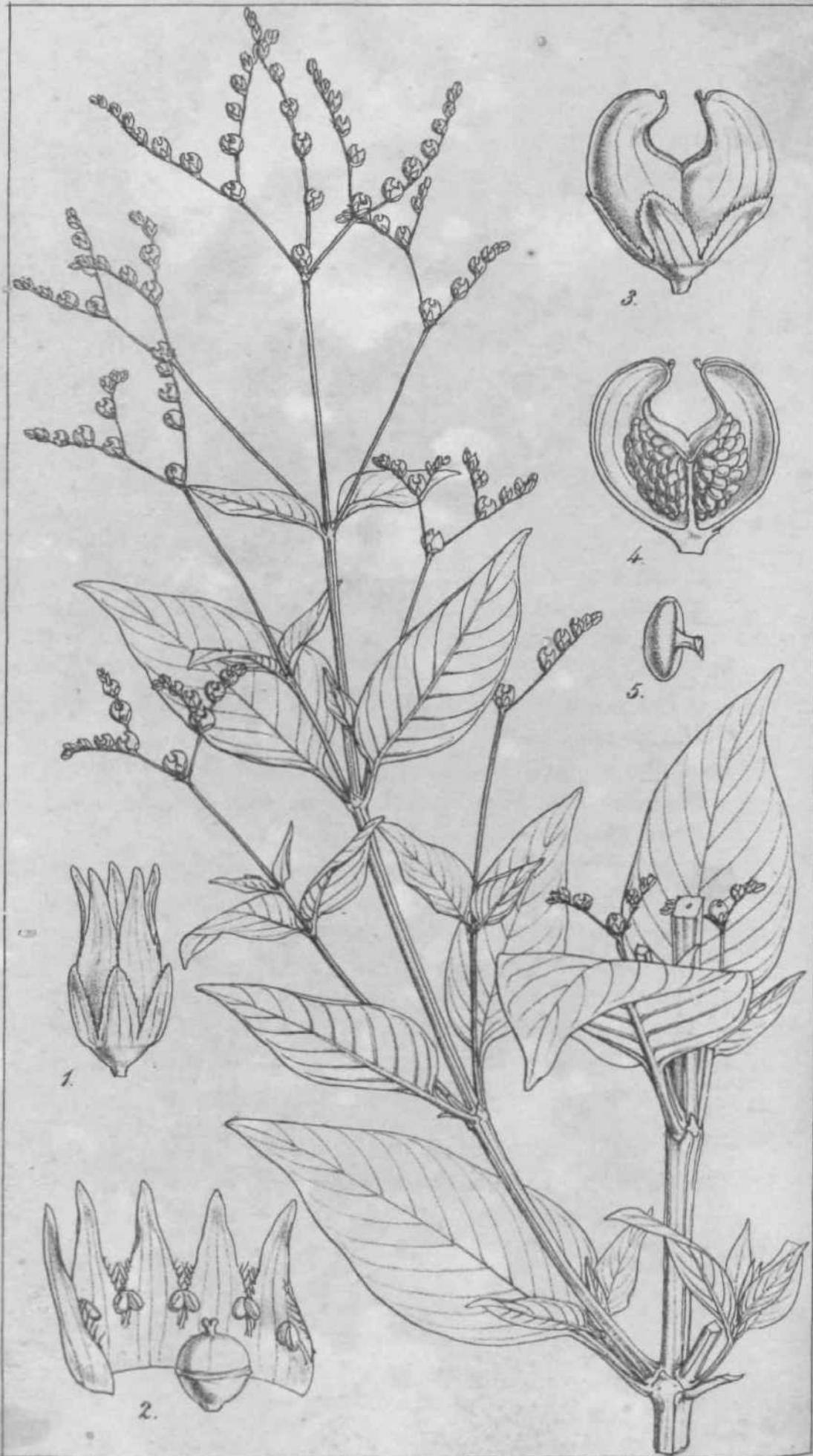
Subsimplexj ocale subquadrangulo ramisque glabris, foliis ovatis oblongisve acutis v. obtusis basi in petiolum attenuatis margine scabris, bracteis lobisque calycinis lanceolatis margine scabro-pilosis, corolle laciniis parvis, capsule lobis recte.divergentibus, seminibus elongato-compressis.

Mitreola oldenlandioides, Wall. Cat. n. 4350. Alph. Be Cand. Prodr. v. 9.p. 9.

HAB. East Indies; Sukanaghur, Hamilton. Under bushes in the rainy seasons, Bombay, but not very common, N. A. Dalzett, Esq.

A very distinct species from *paniculata* (our next figure), very slightly branched, with broader, delicate, and more membranaceous leaves, each plant bearing from two to four small panicles with spreading branches, and a very different fruit.

Mg. 1. Flower, f. %. Capsule. /. 3. Capsule laid open:—
magnified.



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TAB. DCCCXXVm.

MITEEOLA PANICULATA, *Wall.*

Caule subquadrangulo glabro, ramis scabro-pflosiusculis, foliis ovali-oblongis acuminatis iii petiolum angustatis margine nervisque scabro-pilosis, bracteis lobisque calycis lanceolatis margine dorsoque tenuiter pilosiusculis, corollse laciniis lanceolatis elongatis, capsula lunata lobis inflexis, seminibus elongate compressis. *AjDe Cand.*

M. paniculata, *Wall. Cat. n. 4349 {not n. 1826}, fide A. De Cand. in Prodr. v. 9. p. 9. G. Don, Gard. Diet. v. 4. p. 171 {excl. Syn. *M. oldenlandioidei*}.*

HAB. Prome, Ava, and Tong-Dong, in the Birman Empire, *WaUich.* In a Mandiocca plantation, near Airoyas, Goyaz, Brazil, *Gardner {n. 8897}*.

I do not possess any oriental specimen of this plant: but Alph. De CandoUe, who has in his herbarium specimens of that and of Gardner's Brazilian plant, has not the smallest hesitation in considering them the same. "Excmplum," he adds, "rariissimum speciei in Asia et Brasilia simul crescentis, sed diversitatem minimam frustra quaffisivi." The very pampled inflorescence and the decidedly inflexed and almost connivent lobes of the fruit readily distinguish this species.

Fig. 1. Flower. /. 2. Flower laid open. /. 3. Capsule. /. 4. Capsule laid open. /. 5. Seed.—magnified.



TAB. DCCCXXIX.

CROTALARIA CUNNINGHAMII, *Br.*

Jrutex erectus, foliis unifoliolatis ovalibus mucronulatis utrinque ramulis calycibusq[ue] pube sericea ferruginea velutinis, petiolis infra apicem geniculatis, stipulis subulatis, floribus (magnis) nunc axillaribus solitariis plerumque terminalibus racemosis, pedicellis infra medium bibracteolatis, petalis lineatis, vexillo canna elongata stricta brvior, leguminibus teretibus sericeo-tamentasis rostratis.

Crotalaria Cunninghamii, Br. in BoL App. to Sturfs Bxped. into Central Australia, p. 71.

Kennedia chloran%, All. *Cunn.* in *Herb. Nbstr.*

HAB. North-west coast of Australia (barren shores of Goodenough Bay, S.E. of Cygnet Bay, All. *Cunningham*), *Bynoe* (in Stake's Voy. of the Beagle).

In many respects this accords with Mr. Brown's description of *Crot. Sturtii*, in Sturt's Exped. pi. c. p. 70 (I may say entirely with the specific character); but the leaves and flowers are larger and the carina is always shorter than the vexillum. That distinguished botanist then in his "Obs." notices a very nearly related species found on the N.W. coast in 1818, by Mr. Cunningham and by the officers of the 'Beagle' "C. *Cunninghamii* y tomentosa, foliis simplicibus ovali-ovatis utrinque sericeo-tomentosis, petiolis apice curvatis, pedunculis axillaribus unifloris." We have specimens from that locality gathered on both these occasions, and our figure is made from those of Mr. Cunningham: there can be little doubt, therefore, that the plant here figured is Mr. Brown's *C. Cunninghamii*: but although some of our specimens do show axillary and single-flowered peduncles, others have *fty terminal racemose flowers, though partially leafy; so that the differences between this and *C. Sturtii* are confined to the trifling ones just mentioned. The species is remarkable for the large size of the flowers, the short alae, and the very lengthened and straight acumen to the carina. All the petals are striated with dark lines.



TAB. DCCCXXX.

OROTAIARIA CRASSIPE9, *Hoo*

Glabra; ramis herbaceis alato-angulatis, foliis unifoliolatis oblongis mucronulatis inferne attenuatis, petiolis apicem geniculatis stipuliferis basi utrinque alato-decurrentibus, bracteis subulatis, racemis terminalibus axillaribusque elongatis multifloris, pedunculo incrassato, bracteis parvis suhulatis, calyce late campanulato profunde 5-fido laciniis lato-subulatis, carina vexilluin rotundatum obtasum eequante.

HAB. North-west coast of Australia, *Bynoe* (Voyage of the Beagle).

A most distinct and well-marked species. Mr. Bentham observes to me of this and the one given in our preceding plate (Tab. 829), that "they have the leaf articulated at the top of the petiole and thus unifoliolate, like my Brazilian *C. unifoliolata*, whilst the great mass of simple-leaved *Crotalaria* have the leaf sessile or narrowed into a very short petiole without articulation."

Another of this kind I find in Mr. Bynoe's collection defined below.*

* *C. oblongifolia*; ramis suffraticosis striatia pubescentibus, foliis unifoliolatis oblongis obtusis inferne paululum attenuatis, petiolis infra apicem geniculatis supra glabriis subitus dense fusco-scriceo-volutinis/ stipulis valde deciduis, racemis terminalibus axillaribusque subincrassatis multifloris, bracteis parvis subulatis, calycibos campanulatis sericis 5-fidis laciniis subulato-triquetris, carina vexillum subrotundum obtusum acquaute.

^{H A} J - w Coast of Australia, *Bynoe* (Voy. of the Beagle).

Habit of *C. crassipes*, but specifically very distinct. The petioles are in no way Recurrent, and the stipules are very caducous (all fallen on our flowering specimens), and every part of the plant, save the corolla and upper side of the leaf, clothed with rufous-fuscous silky down.



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N. O, Jasminese.

TAB. DCCCXXXL

JASMINUM LINEARE, *Br.*

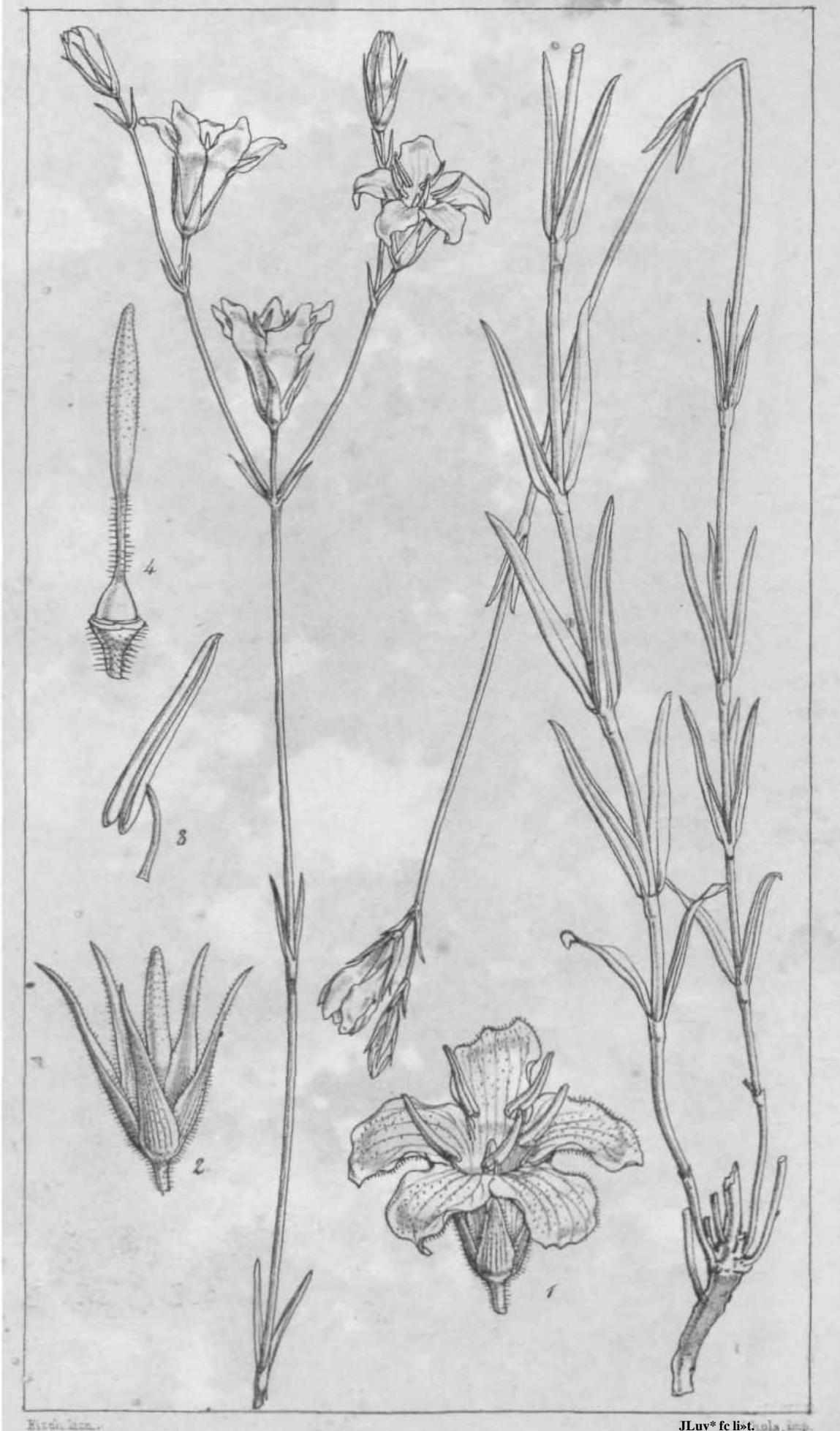
Subvolubile pubescens vel glabrum, foliis trifoliolatis, foliolis Linearibus aeu linear-i-oblongis, floribus cymoso-paniculatis axillaribus, paniculis folio triplo brevioribus.

*Jasminum lineare, Br. Proirr. p. 521. Be Cand. Prodr. v. 8.
p. 311.*

HAS. South Australia, *B. Brawn, Esq.* Bushy country about Lachlan River. Subtropical interior of New Holland, *Major Mitchell.*

This pretty and fragrant Jasmine has probably an extensive range in New Holland. Our drawing was taken from Major Mitchell's beautiful specimens, aided by recent flowering ones, for the species has been introduced to the Royal Gardens. The flowers are small, white, numerous, and delicately fragrant.

Fig. 1. Slower. 2. Pistil:—magnified.



TAB. DCCGXXX11.

LOGANIA. (§ STOMANDRA) CAMPANULATA, *Br.*

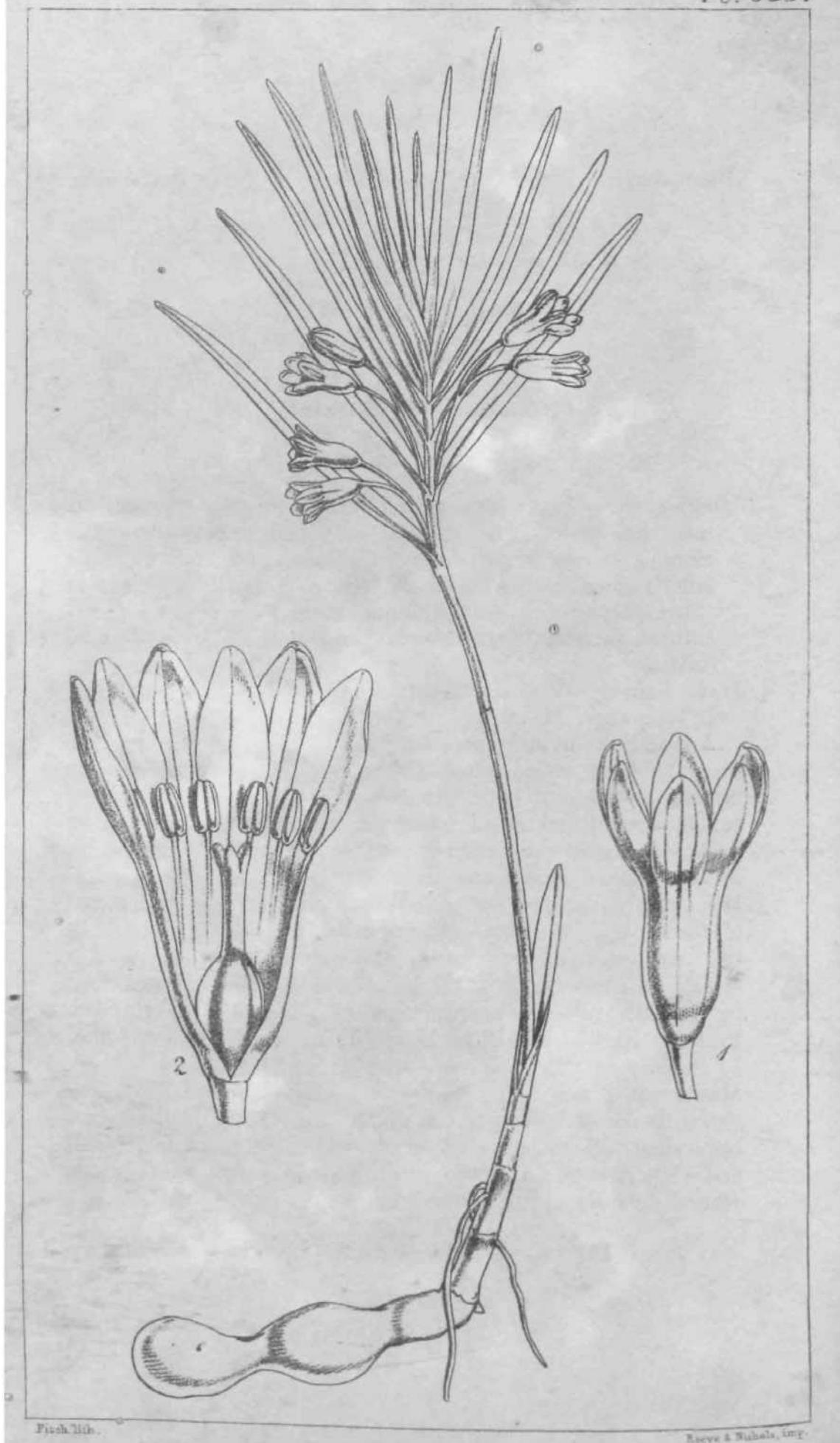
lherbacea, foliis linearibus exstipulatis, floribus terminalibus, pedunculis calycibusq[ue] pubescentibus. *Br.*

Logania campanulata, Br. Prodr. p. 456. De Cand. Prodr. v. 9. p. 26. L. hyssopoides, N. ah Esenb. PL Preiss. v. l.p. 368.

HAB. New Holland, south coast, *R. Brown, Esq.* King George's Sound, *Drummond.*

A stiff, wiry-looking, erect, simple, slender plant. Stems several, 1 foot to 1½ foot high, arising from a fusiform woody root, and bearing several rather distant pairs of opposite, erect, rigid leaves. These leaves are narrow-lanceolate rather than linear* an inch or more long, one-nerved, the margin revolute, glabrous. Stipules clearly none, as Mr. Brown states V—yet Nees von Esenbeck, in 'Plantse Preissianse' has a *Logania hyssopoides*, from the same locality as our plant (King George's Sound) which he says only differs from Mr. Brown's *L. campanulata* in the "stipuke sat evidentes," and these stipules are, he adds, "intrapetiolares truncatae." Even in our plant, the sheath of the leaves is thickened between the leaves and truncated, analogous to what Mr. Brown describes in another species, "stipules intrapetiolares truncatae." The probability is, our two plants are the same. The leaves become gradually smaller and more distant upwards, and take the place of bracteas, at the branching of the peduncles. The inflorescence is downy, more or less divided dichotomously, in the* more perfectly branched stalks having a solitary flower in the fork. Calyx of 5, lanceolate, acuminate, downy lobes. Corolla slightly downy: tube campanulate, scarcely longer than the sepals; limb of 5 rounded spreading lobes. Filaments short, inserted at the mouth of the corolla. Anthers linear. Ovary ovate, glabrous. Style 1, short, hairy. Stigma subclavate or approaching to fusiform.

*Fig. 1. Mower. /. 2. Calyx, including the pistil. /. 3. Stamens.
f. 4*. Pistil:—magnified.*



Munroana.

N. O. Smilacine®.

TAB. DCCOXXXIII.

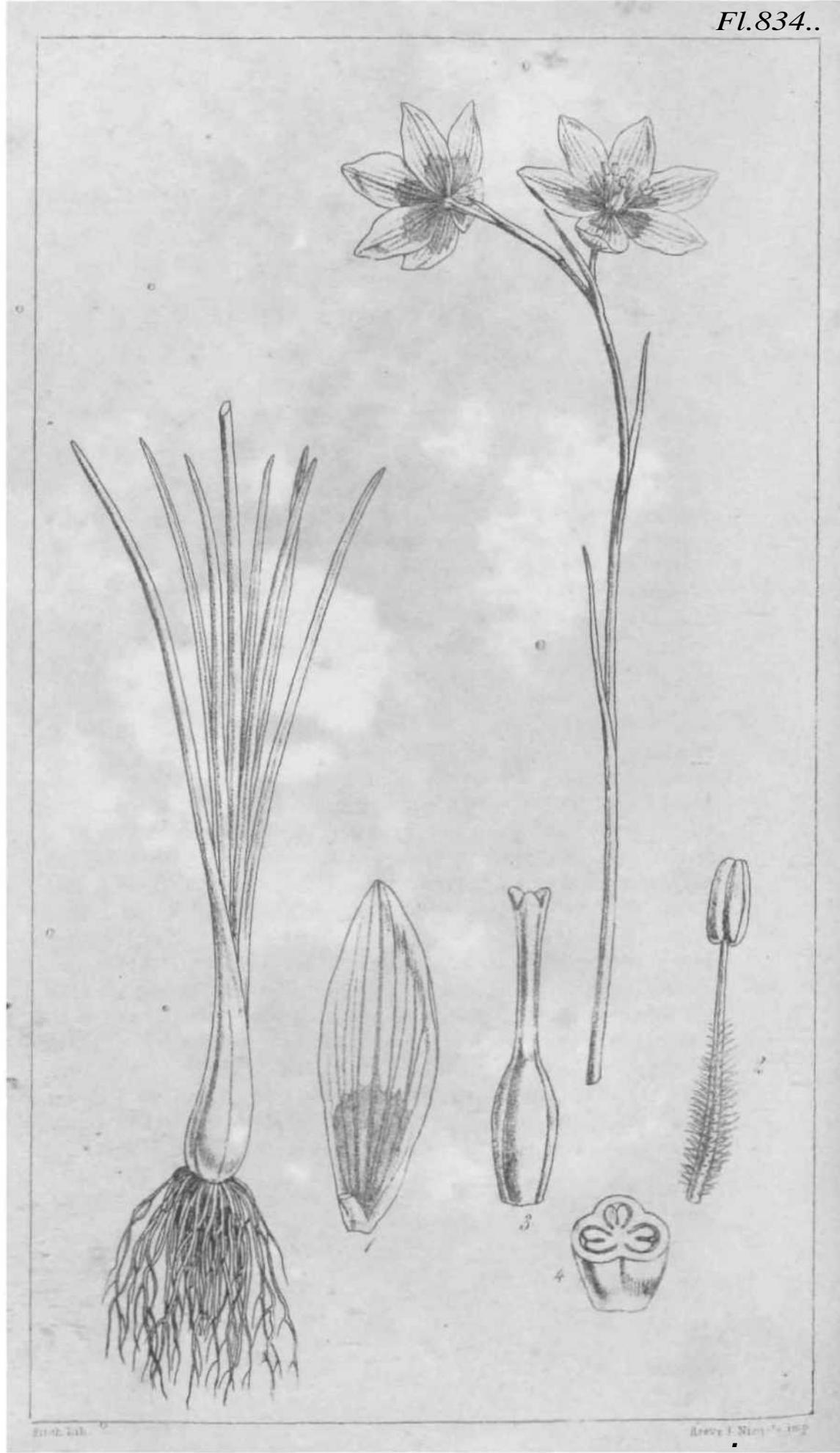
POLYGONATUM[†] GBAMINIFOLITJM[‡] Hook.

Humilis, caule basi vaginato apice folioso, foliis arete approximate linearibus obtusiusculis glabris strictis erecto-patentibus iuferioribus alternis reliquis oppositis, pedunculis axillaribus bifidis bifloris subnutantibus folio duplo triplove brevioribus, perianthio (fusco-purpureo] infundibuliformi, limbi lobis ovatis obtusis, antheris subsessilibus, ovario elliptico longitudine styli, stigmate S-fido.

HAB. Barung, Western Himalaya, elev. 11,000 feet* June, 1844. *Capt. Munro.*

A most graceful little species of "Solomon's seal/" with narrow, linear, obtuse, erecto-patent leaves, and dark, dingy purple flowers (accordiug to Capt. Munro's figure). Its root is a horizontal, elongated, knotted tuber, bearing a small, erect, slender stem, scarcely a span high including the leaves; the lower portion of the stem is jointed, and the upper joint has a long, ligulate, membranaceous sheath. Leaves all from the upper part of the stem; the lower ones alternate* the rest opposite. In * this particular, as well as in the nature of its leaves, this species will not agree with any of the 23 recently described in the 5th vol. of the 'Enumeratio Plantarum' 6*i* the late Professor Kunth; nor will it enter into any of his three divisions, 1. Folia sparsa; 2. Folia opposita; 3. Folia verticillata. Capt. Munro was disposed to consider it identical with the *P. geminū florum*, Dene, in Jacquemont Voy. vol. iv. p. 170. t. 170, but that has distant, oblong leaves, extremely unlike those of this plant, and white flowers. It has no cirrhi like the narrow leaves of the verticillate species of the genus.

Fig. 1. Flower. /. 2. The same laid open :—magnified.



Munroana.

N. O. Liliaceae.

TAB. DCCCXXXIV.

LLOYDIA LONGISCAPA, *Hook.*

Scapo parce bracteato subbifloro foliis linearibus erectis strictis
duplo longiore, sepalis anguste ovatis disco basin versus
maculam fuscum depressam nectariferam notatis, filamentis
hirsutis, stylo ovariura longitudine superante.

HAB. Changseel, Western Himalaya, in fissures of rocks among
snow, elev. 18,000 feet. June, 1844. *Capt. Munro.*

I offer this as a new species of *Lloydia* with considerable hesitation. It has many points in common with the European *LL serotina* (*Ant/iericum serotinum*, L.); some of our numerous specimens of the latter having two flowers on a scape; and, in some, the leaves are as short in proportion as in the present plant: but here the sepals are broader, the filaments are distinctly hairy, and I see no appearance of the transverse nectariiferous plica described to exist in the sepals of *LI. serotina*, but only a large, depressed, brown spot. Dr. Boyle's *LI. Himalayensis* seems to have the scape constantly single-flowered, not longer than the leaves; the sepals are described as spatulate, and the leaves are sheathed below with large brown membranaceous scales. *LI. Kunawurensis*, Boyle, has copious, small, white, cymose flowers. *LI. graca* has several white flowers on a scape, with green lines on the sepals, a long ovary, and peculiarly short style. According to Kuuth, for the statement is not in the 'Flora' of Decaisne, Jacquemont found *LI. serotina* in India (the Himalaya, we may presume). Probably his plant is identical with this. Our figure is taken from a drawing and specimens sent by Gapt. Munro.

Mg. 1. Sepals with the base of a filament. /. 2. Stamen.
f. 8. Pistil, and the section of an ovary:—*magnified.*



TAB. DCCCXXXV.

NEURACANTHUS SPHAEROSTACHYS, *Dalz.*

Foliis oblongo-ovatis subsessilibus utrinque pubescenti-scabris, spicis axillaribus sessilibus capitato-congestis subglobosis sericeo-tomentosis post anthesin valde crescentibus, bracteis orbiculariis repente acuminatis coloratis 5-7-nerviis reticulato-venosis calyce paulo longioribus, calycis labio superiore oblongo 3-dentato 3-nervio inferiore profunde bifido, lacinii lanceolati 1-nerviis omnibus reticulatim venosis, corollse tubo gracili cylindrico calycem aequante, limbo integro ventricoso rotato-cyathiformi. *Dalz.*

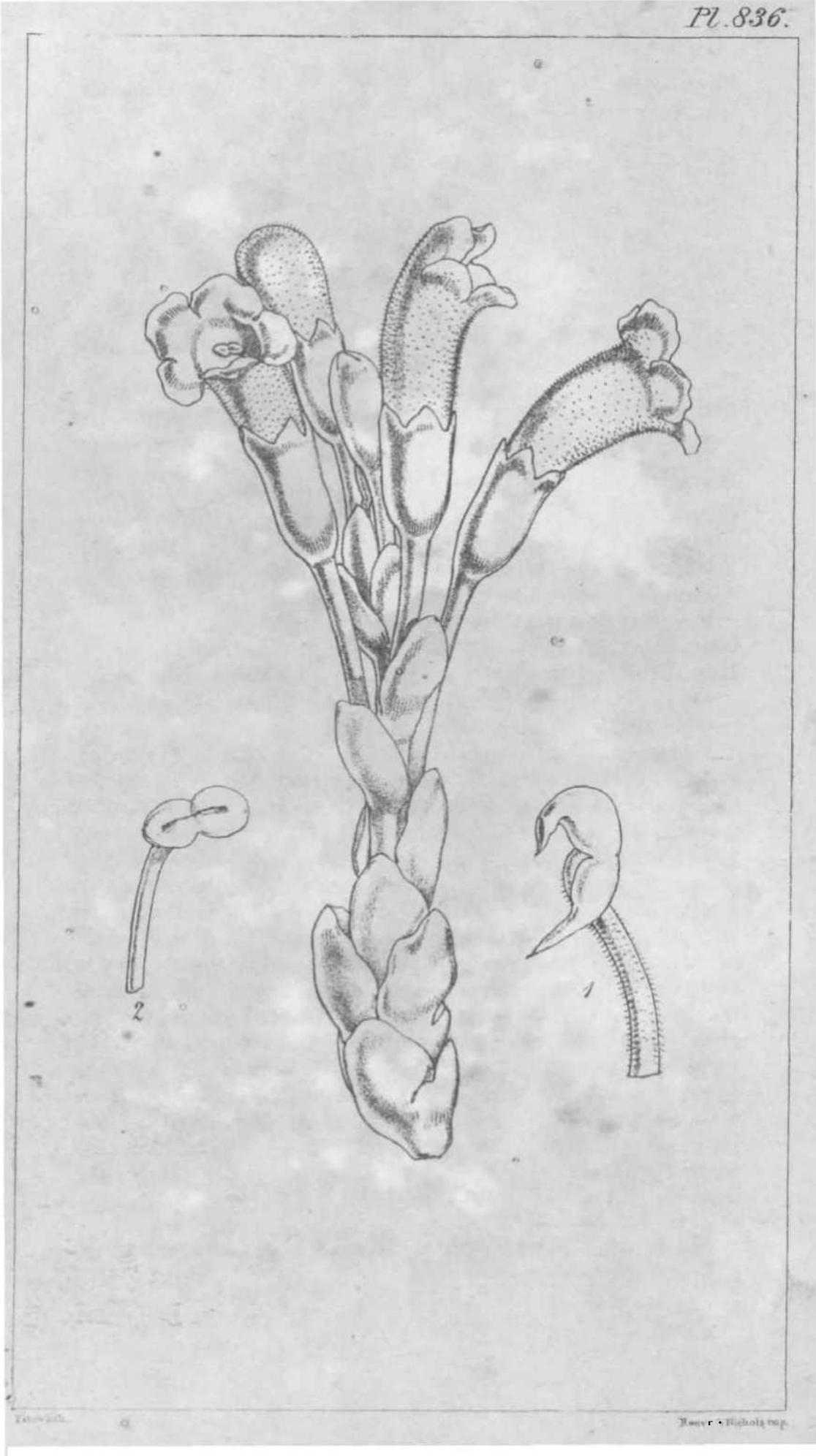
Neuracanthus sphaerostachys, *Dalz.* in *Hook. Kew Gard. Misc.* 2. p. 140 (1850). •

N. Lawii, *Wight, Ic. Plant. Ind. Or.* v. 4. I. 1531.

HAB. Bombay, in both Concans, K A. *Dalzell, Esq.*; Mr. Law.
" E radice perenni caulis plurimis erectis simplicifius 1J-2 pedes altis, obtuse quadrangularibus, pubescenti-scabris. *Folia* 4 poll, longa, 2 poll, lata, duriuscula. *Spica* 6-12 lin. longse. *Braetea* et *calyces floriferi* 3 lin., *fructiferi* 9-12 lin. longi, capsulam includentes. *Corolla* 6 lin. longa, *tubo* albo, *limbo* cseruleo. *Anthera, stigma; capsula, &c.* omnino ut in *N. tetragonostachys.*"

" Although the limb of this plant is nearly entire, it is very evidently made up of five pieces, not exactly by the union of their margins, but by the interjection, as it were, of triangular pieces, so as to unite the opposite margins. Each piece has 3 veins, there being 6 close together in the upper part of the limb, and 2 lines of hairs indicating the two parts of an upper lip. The same marks are visible, at greater distances from each other, indicating 3 divisions, the middle one being furnished with a line of hairs, both outside and inside. The aestivation is decidedly plicate, not contorted/' *Dalzell.*

Fig. 1. Flower. /. 2. Kstil. /. 8. Perfect anther. /. 4. Sterile antler:—magnified, f. 5. Enlarged calyx and bracts with fruit. /. 6. Fruit:—not. size.



TAB. DCCCXXXVI.

CHEISTISONIA STOCKSII, *Hook.*

Scapo crasso simplici imbricatim squamoso, squamis lateovatis concavis obtusissimis, floribus racemosis, pedicellis elongatis erectis cbracteatis, calycis tubulosi cylindracei limbo quinque-fido vix bilabiato, lobis triangularibus obtusiusculis, corolle pubescentis albo-cserulescentis tubo calycem duplo superante cylindraceo sursum paululum dilatato, limbo obliquo bilabiato, labio superiore bi- inferiore trilobo, lobis patentibus rotundatis sinuatis integerrimis, filamentis pubescentibus, antheris calcari- bus elongato-cuspidatis, stiginate bilabiate

Orobanchea, *Stocks, MS. in Herb, nostr. {without No.}.*

HAB. Scinde; parasitic on the roots of *Strobilanthes* during the rains, *Dr. Stocks.* Salsette; parasitic on the roots of *Strobi- lanthes*, *N. A. Dalzell, Esq.*

I give this from imperfect materials; a coloured drawing made by a native artist, and dried specimens sent by Dr. Stocks and Mr. Dalzell, which latter turn black in drying. The plant is evidently of the genus *Christisonia* of Mr. Gardner, of which seven species are described by him, one only being a previously noted plant, viz., the *C. vubacaulis*, Gardn. (*Phelipsea subacaulis*, *Benth. Scroph. Ind. p. 55*). Mr. Gardner seems to have erred only in placing the genus in *Cyrtandracece*. " *Cyrtandracea*," says Mr. Bentham, " have no albumen, and *Christisonia* has in every point the habit and character of *OrobancAea*. At the same time, I admit that *Gemeriete*, *Besleriece*, *Cyrtandrea*, and *Oroban- cftea*, may be well considered as tribes of one order; only that, whether as an order or a tribe, it is to *OrobancAea* and not to *CyrtandrecB* that *Christisonia* belongs/' One cannot but be struck with the similarity between this genus and *Clandestine*^. The plant, as shown in our coloured figure sent by Dr. Stocks, is white when fresh, even the flower, except the upper side of the limb, which is pale blue.

Fig. 1. Anther and portion of a filament. */. 2.* Portion of the style and stigma:—*magnified*.



TAB. DCCCXXXVII.

STATICE STOCKSII, *Boiss.*

Caulibus suftuticosis abbreviatis simplicibus foliosis basi denudatis, foliis carnosis planiusculis enerviis punctulatis glabris v. parce puberulis ovato-spathulatis rotundatis in petiolum longe attenuatis, petioli basi in vaginam brevem amplexicaulem oblique truncatam dilatata, scapis terminalibus brevissimis subangulatis fragilibus paniculam parvam contractam subsecundam ovatam gerentibus, spiculis bifloris in spicas brevissimas fasciculiformes confertis, bracteis herbaceo-rubellis angustissime rubello-marginatis inferiore ovata subcarinata obtusiuscula basi vaginante, superiore triplo longiore oblonga, calycis tubo recto rubello ad costas dense et longe ciliato, limbo albo-rubello patulo breviter et acutiuscule trilobo tubo dimidio breviore, antheris longiuscule exsertis. *Dene.*

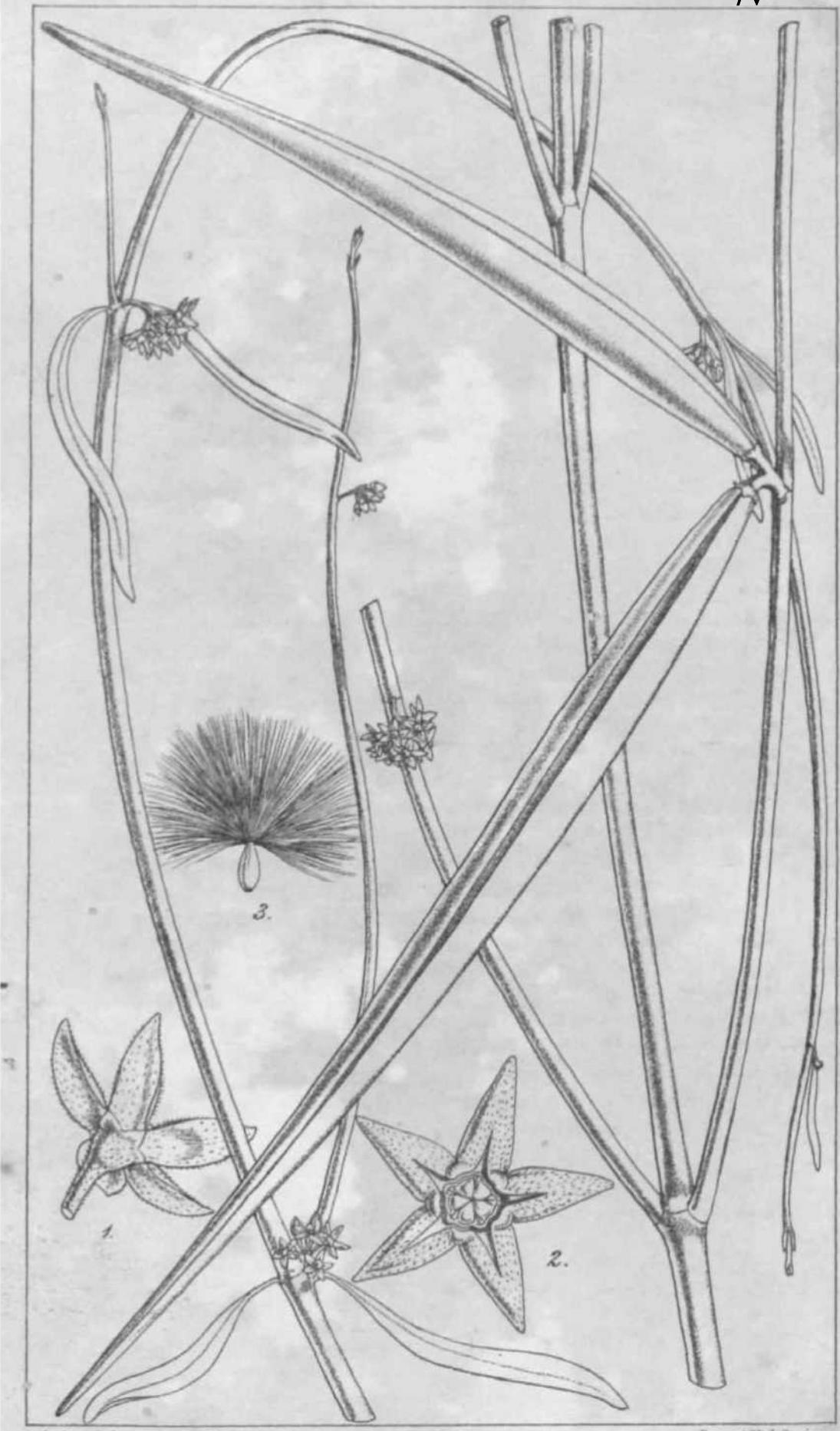
Statice Stocksii, *Boiss. in Be Cand. Prodr. v. 12. p. 664. Wight,
Illustr. find. Bot. v. I. p. 225.1.178.*

HAB. By the sea and inland throughout Scinde, Dr. J. R Stocks, n. 436.

A stunted woody shrub[^] general throughout Scinde: 6 inches to a foot high, forming a little bush. Flowers very beautiful: petals rose-pink; genitals exserted. /. K Stocks.

Decaisne alludes to its resemblance to *S. Arabica*, from which it differs in the abbreviated petioles, more contracted branches of the panicle, the superior bract less involute, the calycine tube ciliated.

Fig. 1. Flower. / 2. Fruit i—magnified.



TAB. DCCCX\\lii.

LEPTADENIA JACQUKMOVI I \w. Dow.

Aphylla, vel quandoque foliis linearibus remotis breviter petiolatis cum ramulis gracilibus virgatis pube brevissima pulverulentis, umbellis interfoliaccis breviter pedunculatis 10-15-floris, floribus viridi-luteis pedicellatis, corollas pubescentis laciniis margine revolutis pube densiore supernevestitis, fauce inter lacinas plicata plicatura incrassata biloba. Stocks.

Leptadenia Jacquemontiana, Decaisne, Etud. Ascl. Ann. Sc. Nat. 1838. p. 270, and in De Cnd. Prodr. v. 8. p. 629.

IIAB. About Agra, Jacqemont. Throughout Scindc, in all soils, Dr. J. E. Stocte (n. 408).

Received, with an excellent drawing and description, and copious specimens, from Dr. Stocks. It tallies sufficiently well with the character given by Decaisne of *L. Jacquemoniana*; but it must be confessed that all the species of the so-called "aphyllous groupe" (viz. *L. Spartium*, Wight, *L. pyrotechnica* and *L. gracili**, Decaisne, and our own) are very difficult to be distinguished from each other in the dried state. Hence I have given Dr. Stocks' character, drawn from the living plant, rather than Decaisne's. Dr. Stocks further observes, that the species "forms a bush, 2-6 feet high, with erect green twiggy branches, and leafless, like the stems of a rush. Stem woody at the base, | an inch or more in diameter, gradually diminishing to | a line on the topmost shoots. Divisions irichotomous. Internodes 3-6 inches long. Nodes generally leafless, w sometimes a few leaves, 1-3 inches long and a line broad, are found. Peduncle 2 lines long: pedicels 1 line. Flower 2 lines across. There is a shallow saucer-like rim at the base of the staminal column, resembling the lower corona of *Sarcostemma* and *Oxystelma*. Fruit (here exhibited) very rare!"

Fig. 1. Underside, and /. 2. Upper side of a flower. /. 3. Seed:—magnified.

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TAB. DCCCXXXIX.

CADABA HETEROTHICHA, *Stocks.*

Glauco - cinerascens, ramis incanis, foliis petiolatis orbiculatis basi plerumque cuneatis apice emarginatis pulverulento-pubescentibus pilis stellatis nunc glanduloso-pilosis, petalis 4 orbicularibus unguiculatis, nectario gynophoro duplo breviore apice bilabiate labio inferiore truncate superiore elongato patenti-reflexo apice 2-8-crenato, filamentis 5 glabris liberis, ovario gynophoroque glanduloso-pubescentibus.

Cadaba heterotricha, *Stocks, MS.*

HAB. Among rocks towards Cape Monze, Scinde; called *Joorg* by the natives. *Dr. J. E. Stocks.*

Near the Arabian *C. glandulosa* of Forskal, and *C. rotundifolia*; especially the latter, but the leaves of *rotundifolia* are larger and more rotundate with a broader almost truncated base, and the whole plant is destitute of pulverulent down: *C. glandulosa* has much smaller leaves with an apiculated apex, quite obsolete venation, clothed, as well as the branches, with glandular hairs.—Dr. Stocks observes that this is a small tree, 12-20 feet high. The whole of the herbaceous parts have generally an ashy-glaucous look which is due to very minute sessile stellated hairs covering the whole epidermis. Mixed with these stellated hairs are pedicelled ones forked like a Medusa's head at their summit. These last give a farinaceous look to the young shoots. Together with these there are always present glandular-capitate hairs generally few in number and inconspicuous. Sometimes, however, they are much enlarged and present in great numbers; and then, instead of a grey frosted look and smooth feel, we have the young shoots and leaves golden-green to the eye and scabrous to the touch, from the presence of these large and stiff hairs: it is then only that the plant has something the look of *C. glandulosa*.

*Fig. 1. Flower, f. 2. Anther. /. 8. Apex of the nectary.
/. 4. Ovary:—magnified, f. 5. Leaf of the downy var. :—nat. size.*



TAB. DCCCXL.

NEURADA PROCUMBENS, *Linn.*

Neurada procumbens, *Linn.* Sp. PI. p. 631. Forsi. Fl. JEg. Arab. j). 90. Lam. III. t. 393. Desf. Fl. Atlant. v.l.p. 368. Be Cand. ProAr. vSL.jp. 548. Wight. Ic. Plant. Ind. Or. v.4.I.1596. HAB. Egypt, Arabia, Numidia, *Forskål* and others. Sandy places, Scinde, Dr. J. E. Stocks.

A rather woody-looking, but in reality an annual, very woolly and hoary, much-branching, procumbent plant, with a few descending stout, somewhat fibrous roots. *Leaves* ovate, petiolate: at the base of the petiole is always a smaller sessile leaf, from the axil of which the peduncle appears, and a minute stipule. As is often the case with *Medicago*, a young plant often germinates from the fruit, bearing even in maturity the curiously-shaped prickly husk forming a ring round the collum of the root. The flowers are axillary, solitary upon a peduncle which is longer than the leaves. The *calyx*, from a broad flat unarmed base, is conical, echinate, with numerous erect prickles, closely incorporated with the ovaries and increasing in size with the fruit: the mouth of the calyx contracted; the limb of 5 erect, broad ovate, acuminate, spinous teeth or lobes, and 5 more exterior narrow subulate ones. *Petals* 5, obovate, erect, deciduous, as long as the calyx-lobes and inserted just within them, alternating with the larger calyx-lobes. *Stamens* 10, epigynous, inserted between the petals and styles: *filaments* short, from a broad base, subulate; *anthers* ovate, 2-celled. *Ovaries* 10, arranged in a circle, incorporated with one another and with the calyx-tube. *Styles* 10, placed in a circle within the stamens, short, from a broad base, bearing a capitate stigma; at length much elongated, and resembling a cluster of spines in the centre of the fruit. *Fruit* a dry capsule, invested by the prickly tube of the calyx, 10-celled, with the cells opening at the top. *Seeds* solitary in each cell, attached to the central axis, slightly ascending, then curved down. *Albumen* none; *radicle* curved; *cotyledons* nearly oblong and curved.—Our figure was made from a drawing sent by Dr. Stocks.

Fig. 1. Flower. */. 2.* Flower cut through vertically. */. 3.* Transverse section of the ovary. */. 4.* Fruit. */. 5.* Fruit cut through vertically, showing the elongated persistent styles. */. 6.* Embryo.



TAB. TXJOCXLI.

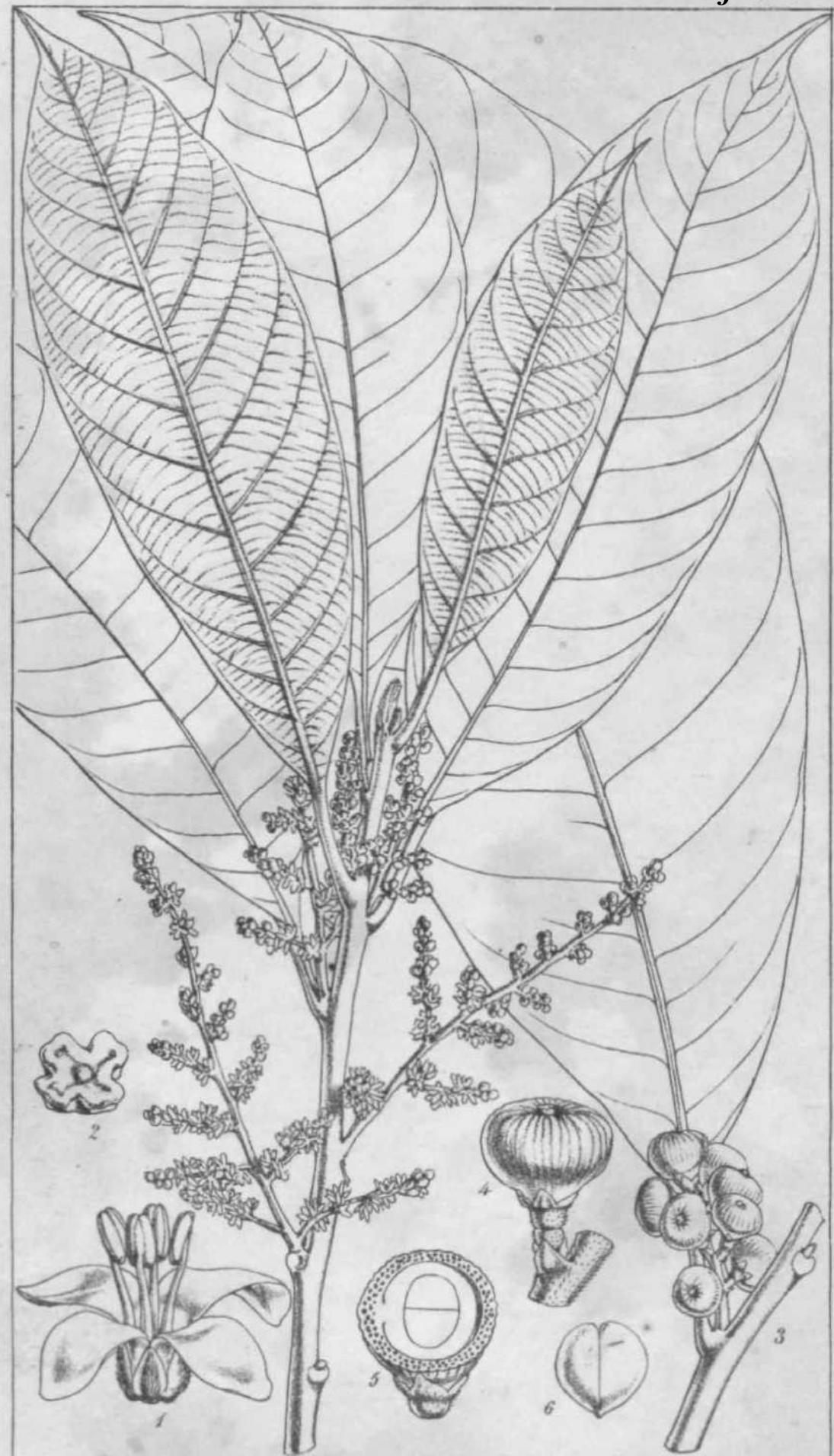
AGANOSMA CONCANBNSIS.

Volubilis glabra, ramis teretibus, foliis late elliptico-ovatis brevissime acuminatis basi cordatis membranaceis remote pen-ninerviis subtus pallidioribus transversim vcnosis, pedunculis axillaribus folio brevioribus, cymis compositis densis, sepalis triquetro-acuminatis, corollae hypocrateriformis tubo brevi vix calycem superante, limbi quinqueparfitilaciniis oblongis obtusis patentibus, ore intus ciliato, staminibus exsertis, glandulis hypogynis 5 magnis triquetris obtusis.

HAB. In the South Concan, Bombay, rare. N. A. *Dalzell, Esq.*

Sent, with many other rarities, from Concan, Bombay, by my valued correspondent, Mr. Dalzell. It is considered by that gentleman a new plant, and, as far as I can find, justly so. It would have ranked with *Echites*, before the genera of *Apocynacece* had been remodelled by Don and Alphonse De Candolle; yet it does not harmonize well with any genus in the 'Prodromus.' I have provisionally placed it in *Aganosma*, but I am not sure that the stigma corresponds with that genus, and the hypogynous glands are 5, and distinct. The flowers, judging from the dried state, are green, tinged with purple. Though I have spoken of the plant as glabrous, yet the petioles are obscurely ciliated, and the pedicels are, when magnified, seen to be slightly downy.

Fig. 1. Flower. /. 2. Pistil and intracajycinal glands:—magnified.



TAB. DC'CXLIL

GLYOYCABPUS RACEMOSA, *Dalzell*

GEN.CHAE. *Glycycarpus*, *Dak.*, nov. gen.—/forupolygamo-dioici. *Calyx quadripartitus*, persistens; *laciniis ovatis, obtusis*. *Corolla petala 4*, sub disco hypogyno 4-crenato inserta, oblongo-linearia, sestivatione imbricata. *Stamina 4*, sub disci margine inserta, cum petalis alterna iisque breviora. *Filamenta libera*. *Anthera introrsc*, bilocularis, longitudinaliter dehiscentes. In floribus masculis ovarii rudimentum nullum; in florib fertili *ovarium unicum*, liberum, sessile, uniloculare : *ovulum unicnm*, ex apice funiculi complanati e basi loculi adscendentis pendulum ; *stylus brvissimus*; *stigma capitato-discoidcum*. *Drypa supera*, transverse oblonga, depressa, came parca, pulposa, dulci, esculenta; *jmlamine crustaceo*, monospermo. *Embrgonis exalbuminosi cotyledones crassse*, profunde plano-couvezge.—*Arbor Indica parva* ; *foliis alternis, petiolatis, siwplicibus, oblongis, jpenninerviis, infegerrimis*; *petiolo nudo*; *floribus racemom, parvis*. *Dalz.*

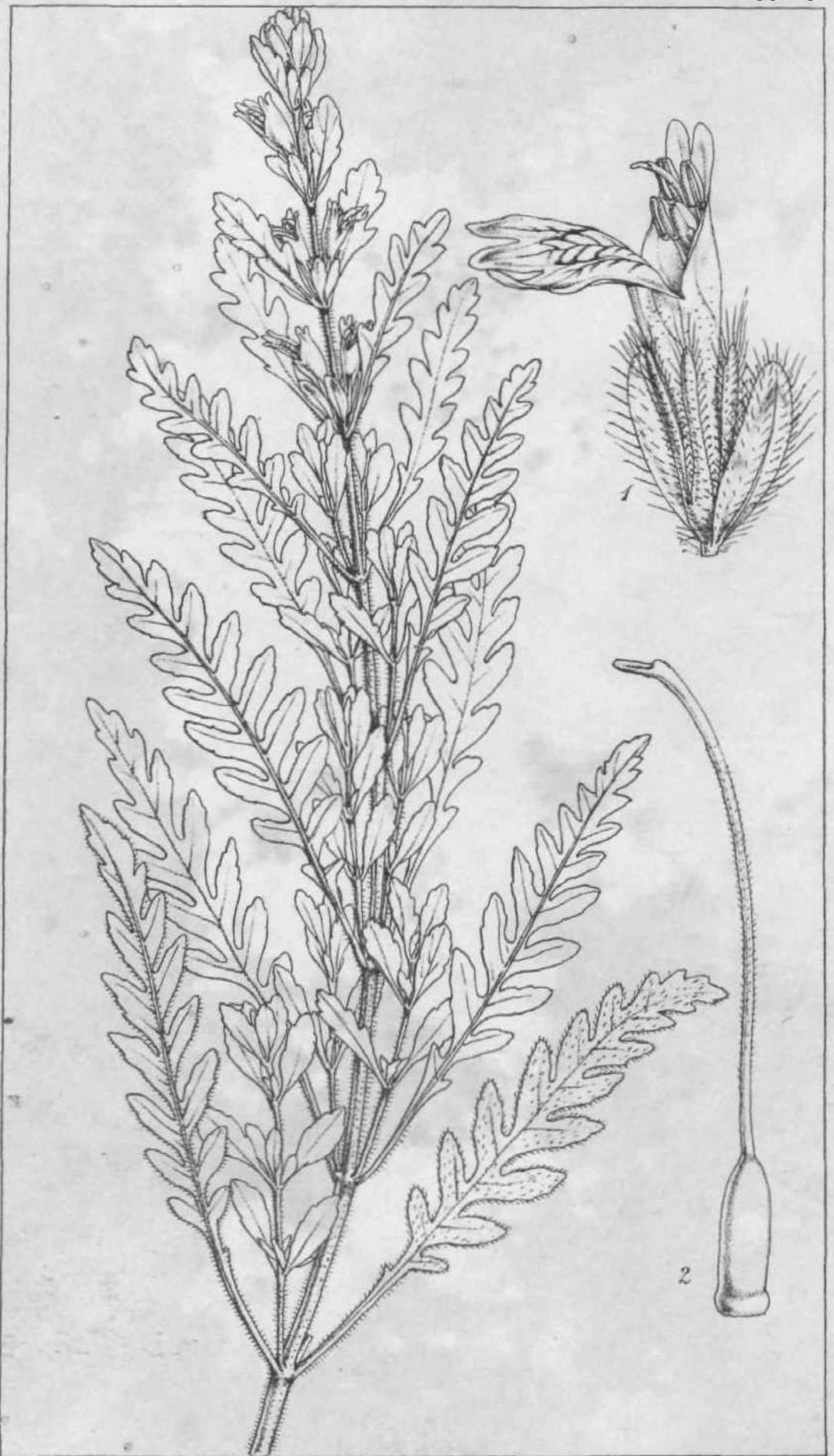
Glycycarpus racemosa, *Balzell*, *Bot. of West. Ind. in Hoo Kew Gard. Misc. v..2. p. 89.*

HAB. Rare in the Southern Concan. Fl. Feb.; fr. ripe in April.

Dalzell •

"The tree/' observes Mr. Dalzell (l.c), "on which this genus is founded, agrees in many points with the *Holigarna racemosa*; but unless we suppose some unaccountable errors to exist in Boxburgh's description of that tree, it must be very different, the *superior* fruit being a sufficient mark of distinction." We may add, too, that besides the union of the calyx with the ovary, the fruit of *Holigarna* is said to be the size of a large olive.

Fig. 1. Male flower. /. 2. Hypogynous disc from its centre. / 8. Fruiting raceme (nat. size), f. 4. Fruit. /. 5. Transverse section of the same. /. 6. Embryo:—all but/. 3 magnified.



Dakelliana.

N. O. Acanth&cefle.

TAB. DCCCXLIIIL

NOMAPHILA PINNATIFIDA, *Dalzett.*

Tota hirsuta glanduloso-pubescenteque, foliis petiolatis lanceo-latis profuude pinnatiidis, floribus in foliorum axillis oppositis solitariis sessilibus, bracteis oblongis integris, calycis laciniis linearibus obtusis, corolle labio inferiore disco bullato.

Nomaphila pinnatifida, Dalzell, Bot. of West. Ind. in Hook. Kew Garcl. Misc. v. 3.p. 38.

HAB. Near running streams of the Southern Concan, at the foot of the Ghauts, Bombay, N. A. *Dalzell, Esg.*

"*Caulis obtuse tetragonus, ad nodos tumidus. Folia linearilanceolata, 3 poll, longa, || poll, lata/pinnatisecta, segmentis 6-''8-jugis linear-oblongis obtusis serriilatis. Bractea floraUs oblongse, foliaceae, ciliatse, glandulosc, calycem scquantes. Calyx 2-2i lin. longus. Qorolla (5 lin.) palatum bullatum. Stylus puberulus. Stigma laterale.—Herba tenera, 1-2-pedalis.*" *Dalzell.*

Four species of this genus are described by Dr. Nees von Esenbeck, in De Candolle's 'Frodromus:' no figure exists of any. Three are from Southern India and the islands, the fourth from Senegambia. Mr. Dalzell now adds a fifth, and very distinct species, from Bombay.

Fig. 1. Flower and bracteas. /. 2. Pistil:—magnified.



TAB. BCCCXLIV.

BISCHOFFIA TRIFOLIATA, (*fem.*)

Foliolis ovatis acuminatis magis minusve serratis vel crenatis basi obtusis, racemis foemineis simplicibua compogitisque, floribus glabris, fructibus globosi's magnitudine pisi majoris.

Bischoffia Javanica, *Blume, Bijdr.p.* 1168.

BischofRa Bocperiana, *Dene, in Jacquem. PL Ind. Or. p.* 152.

Microelus Bceperianus, *Wight et Am. in Hdinb. New Phil. Jour. v. 14. p. 298. Wight, Cat. n.* 941.

Andrachpe trifoliata, *Roxb. FL Ind. v. 3. p. 728. Wall. Cat. n. 7956.*

Andrachne apetala, *Boxb. in Wall. Cat* I. c.*

Bischoffia oblongifolia, *Dene, in Jacquem. PL Ind. Or. p. 153. t. 154.*

Bischoffia Cumingiana, *Dene, in Jacquem. PL Ind. Or. p. 153. Owning, Herb. n.* 1174.

Stylodiscus trifoliatus, *Bennett, in Horsfield's Plant. Javan. Bar. v. 1. p. 133. tf. 29.*

HAB. Throughout India, and the Indian Archipelago.

Roxburgh[^] who first took up this plant under the name of *Andrachne trifoliata*, observes that it is a native of all parts of India. We can perceive no specific distinction whatever in our specimens from Java, sent by De Vriese, from the Philippine Islands (*Cuming*), from Bengal (*Wallich*), from Madras (*Wight*) and Bombay (*Dalzell*), nor do the figure and description of Decaisne's *B. oblongifolia*, from Dehra-Doun, appear in any respect to differ. The Manilla *B. Toni*, of Decaisne, seems to present no peculiarity but the somewhat larger fruit; and it is more than probable that this curious genus (the relations of which in the family Mr. Bennett expresses himself unable to indicate) is limited to *one* species. The trifoliolate leaves, combined with the arborescent character (its trunks in Java are used for masts and spars of vessels), are uncommon in this natural family, and Blume was led to place the genus in *Terebinthacea*. In Bombay, whence our specimens figured are derived, the tree has the native name of *Bake*, and grows in the Ghauts, lat. 16° , elev. 2000 feet above the level of the sea.

Fig. 1. Female flower. *2.* Section of ovary. *3.* Section of fruit, where two cells prove abortive. *4.* Seed. *5.* Vertical section of ditto. *6.* Embryo removed from the albumen:—*magnified.*



Gwmiana.

N. O. Epacridere.

TAB. DCCCXLV.

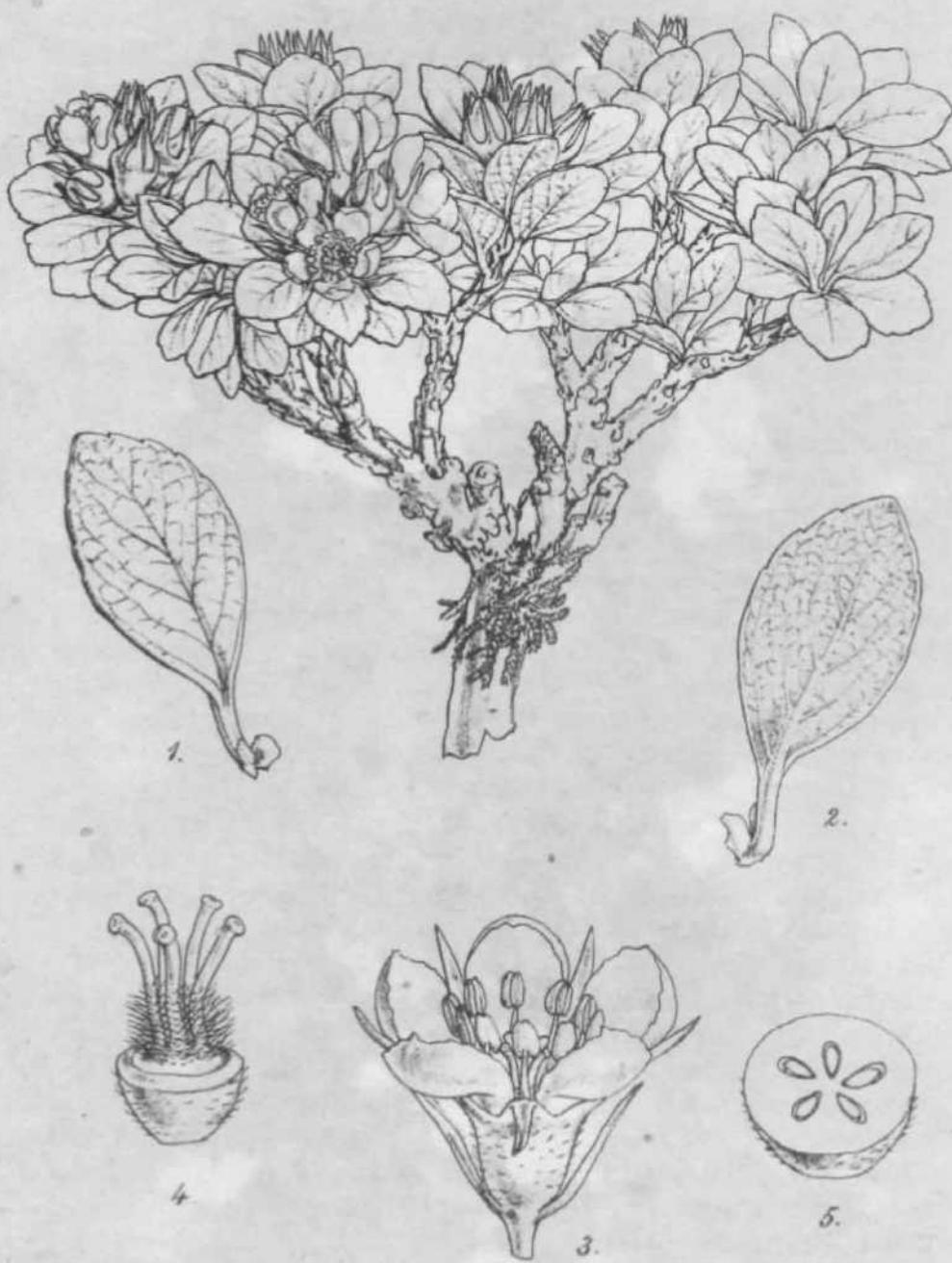
DRACOPHYLLUM MILLIGANI, *Hook.*

Subacaulis, foliis coriaceis rigidis e lata concava basi subulatis canaliculatis falcato-secundis spicam superantibus apicibus (siccate sepe spirilater tortis) marginibus asperulis, pedunculo scapiformi pubescente, spicis terminalibus compositis, spicularum bracteis basi latissima membranacea inferioribus elongato-foliaceis, corollae tubo late cylindraceo sepala latolancolata sequante, staminibus vix exsertis liberis, stylo inclusu, squamulis hypogynis lato-obcordatis.

HAB. Mount Sorell, Macquarrie Harbour, *Mr. Milligan.* (*R. Gunn, Esq., n. 2051.*)

Till the discovery of this very fine species of *Dracophyllum* by Mr. Milligan, in 1846, the genus was supposed not to exist in Tasmania, and Dr. Hooker (*Fl. Antarctica*, vol. i. p. 48) describes the genus *Richea* as its representative: Our Herbarium is~ indebted to Ronald Gunn, Esq., not only for a magnificent new species of *Richea* (22. *squamosa*, Hook, fil.), but for the present very distinct *Dracophyllum*. The specimens sent of the present plant, of which our figure is a fair sample, are said to be the full size, but these probably grow in tufts, from a short caudex.

Fig. 1. Stamen. *Fig. 2.* Pistil and hypogynous scales, *f.* 3.
Flower:—*magnified.*



TAB. DCCCXLVI.

HESPEROMELES HETEROPHYLLA, *Hook.*

Fruticosa nunc humillima rarius spinosa glaberrima vel corymbis ramulis costaque parce tomentosis, foliis ovalibus subovatisve acutis v. obtusis crenato-serratis subtus pallidis copiose reticulatim vénosis, corymbis terminalibus paucifloris, calycis basi bibracteati segmentis calycinis subulatis longitudine petalorum, bracteis linearibus tubum calycis sequantibus, stylis bâsi villosis.

Mespilus heterophylla, *Ruiz et Pav. Fl. ined.t.* 425 *b.*

Eriobotrya (?) heterophylla, *Lindl. Linn. Trans.* v. 13. p. 102.

Osteomeles glabrata, *H. B. K. Nov. Gen. Am.* v. 6. p. 166 (*large Ed.*) t. 53.

Eriobotrya obtusifolia. *Be Cand. Prodr.* v. 2. p. 632.

Cratsegus obtusifolia, *Pers. Syn.* v. %. p. 37.

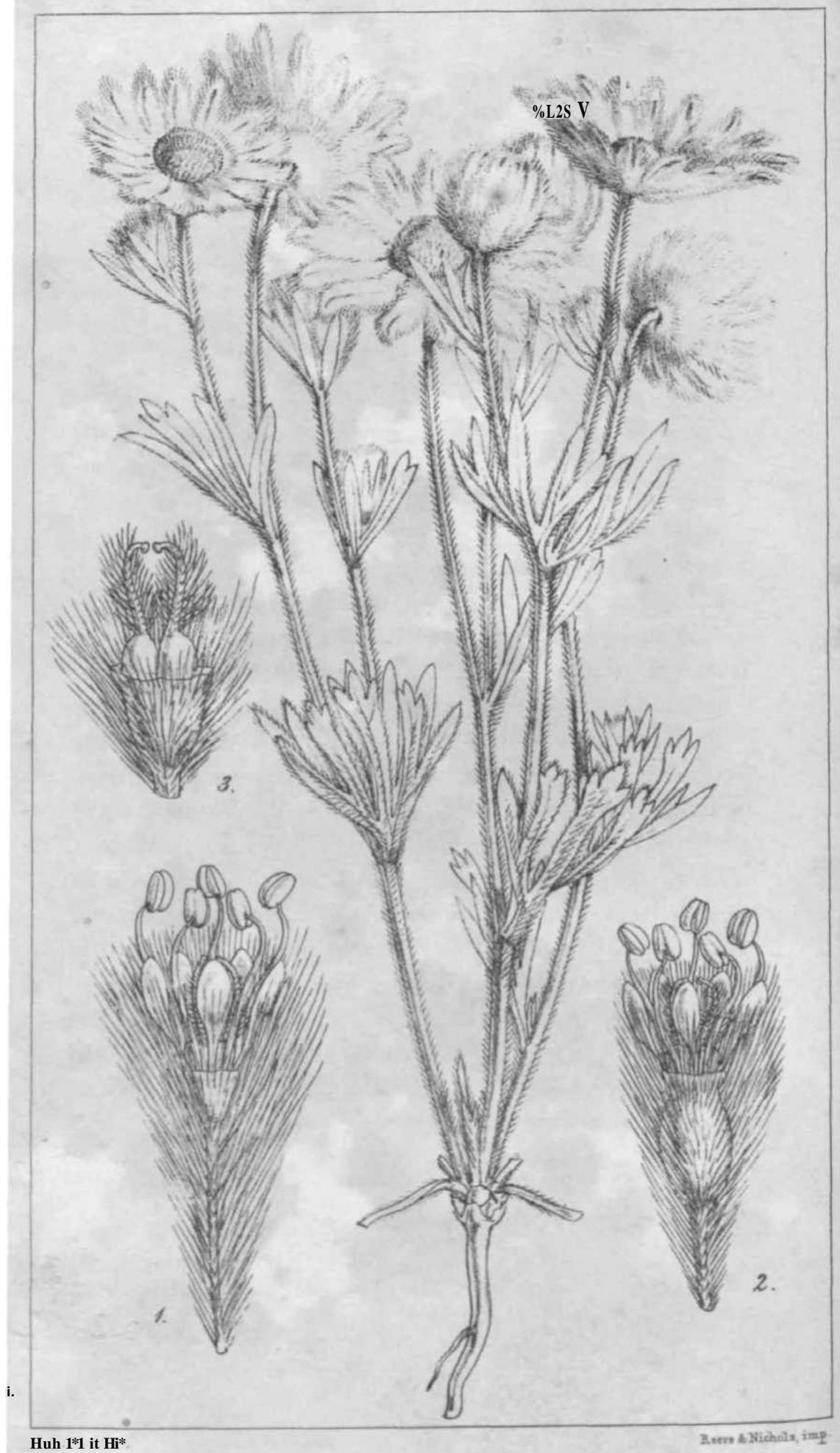
Hesperomeles obtusifolia, *Lindl. in Bot. Meg. sub Jbl.* 1956.
Benth. PL Hartweg.p. 129. n. 732.

/9. *vacciniifolia*; fruticulus depresso, foliis multoties minoribus.

HAB. Andes of Peru (*Ruiz et Pav.*), Andes of Popayan; elev. between 6 and 7,000 feet. Andes of Loxa, *Hartweg* (n. 732). San Carlos, *Malhews* (n. 1445). New Grenada, *Linden* (n. 1426). Sierra Nevada de Santa Martha, *Purdie*. Quinian Andes, from 7,000-12,000 feet, at which latter, elevation it becomes our var. £.

Dr. Lindley has probably correctly separated from *Eriobotrya* certain South American *Pomacece*, and constituted of them the genus *Hesperomeles*. The fruit, however, was unknown to him. Among my copious specimens I find ripe fruit on two species, and it is exactly as in *Mespilus*, "Pomum turbinatum (seu globosum) apertum, 5-loculare, endocarpio osseo :" the five osseous endocarps are indeed quite exposed to view, and are accurately figured so in both the species to which I allude, viz., *Mespilus lanuginosa* and *M. heterophylla*, by Ruiz and Pavon. It thus becomes a question how far they are rightly separated from that genus. The habit of the two plants now mentioned are distinct from *Mespilus*, but rather on account of their usually humble growth and coriaceous persistent leaves, than from any other*character. *Mespilus stiplosa*, H.B.K., which I have from Loxa, may perhaps unite the two. *Hesperomeles* (*Mespilus*) *lanuginosa*, II. et P. El. ined. t. 425 a., 1 possess, with leaves as large as *Osteomeles latifolia*, H. B. K. 1. c. t. 554 (*H. cordata*, *Lindl.*), and other specimens with leaves as small, and as rusty-coloured beneath, as *Osteomeles ferruginea* of Humboldt, and *H. oblonga* of Lindley; all of which may, I think, be fairly recorded as varieties of one and the same species.—Our present species seems sometimes to form a good-sized bush, with leaves two inches long; while, from great elevations, I have specimens like the variety here figured, with leaves less than half the size now represented. Professor Jameson describes the fruit (about the size of a pea) as esculent.

Fig. 1, 2. Upper and under side of leaves. */. :*.* Flower, with bracts. */. k* Ovary and styles. */. 5.* Section of ov#ry :—*Magnified.*



TAB. DCCCXLVII.

ACTINOTUS LEUCOCEPHALUS, *JBenth.*

Annans pubescenti-pilosus dichotome ramosus, foliis palmatim 3—5-sectis segmentis integerrimis 8—5-fidisve, laciinis linearibus involucro floribusque pilis longis niveis sericeo-nitentibus densissime obsitis, calycis limbo cupuliformi, corollis pentapetalis.

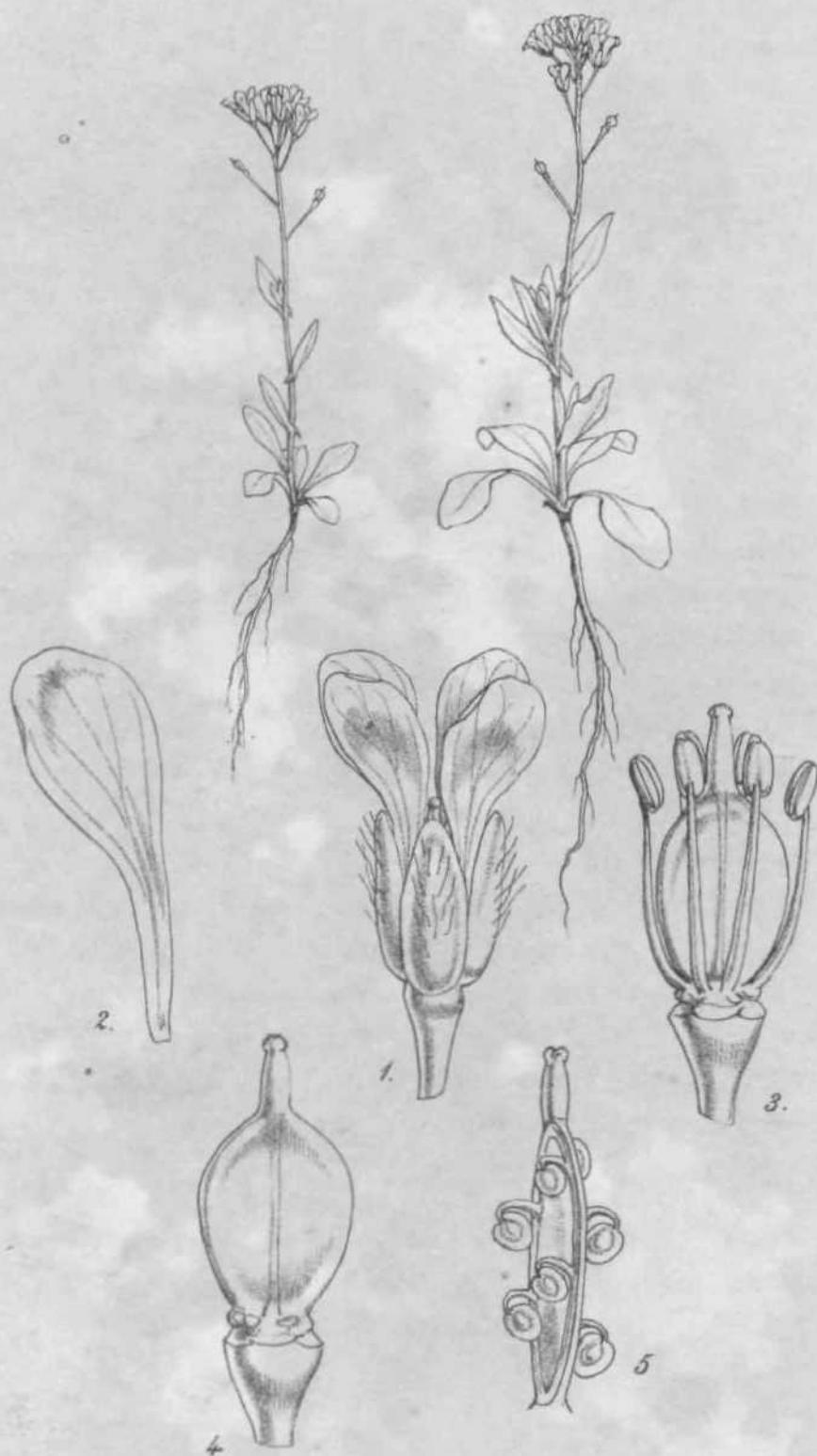
Actinotus .leucocephalus, *JBenth.* in *Ilugel JSnum. PI. Nov. Holl.* p. 56. *Bunge*, in *Lehm. Plant. Preiss.* p. 292.

£. foliorum segmentis latioribus (TAB. NOSTB. 847).

HAB. Swan River settlement., *Ilugel, Drummond* (n. 28). *Preiss* {n. 2056}.—j3. Interior of the same country, *Drwnmond*.

By Mr. Drummond the more usual form of this plant, 1-2 feet and more high, slender, with very long peduncles and narrow segments to the leaves, the densely silky umbels becoming tawny when dry,—was sent home from the Guildford Plains, interior of Swan River settlement. The present individual was detected far in the interior of the country, and is the only specimen that was preserved. Mr. Drummond was disposed to consider it a distinct species; but I am satisfied it is a mere variety, with shorter and stouter stems, broader leaves, if possible more silky umbels, and the silkiness retaining its white hue when dry. The ovaries and young fruit, as well as the pedicels, are most copiously silky, so as to conceal entirely the ridges.

Fig. 1. Male flower. /. 2. Perfect flower. /. 3. The same, with the calyx and petals and stamens removed:—magnified.



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N. O. Grucifere.

TAB. DCCCXLVIII.

HUTCHINSIA? TASMANICA, *Hook.*

Annua digitalis subsimplex glabra veL hirsutula, foliis radicalibus spathulatis in pctiolum attenuates caulinis oblongis sagittato-semiamplexicaulibus omnibus subintegerrimis, floribus corymbosis, fructu elongato racemoso, pedicellis apice incrassatis demum elongatis patentibus, petalis spathulatis sublonge unguiculatis sepalis hirsutis duplo longioribus, ovario ovali seu obovato compressor stylo crassiusculo, loculis 4-spermis.

HAB. About Arthur's Lake, western mountains of Van Diemen's Land, R. Gunn, Esq. (n. 2041).

I place this provisionally only in *Hutchinsia*. Except in the more distinct style, the fruit lias a good deal of resemblance to that of *Hutchinsia* (now, by E. Meyer and Reichenbach, referred to *CapseUd procumbens*). I possess no perfect fruit. The thickening of the pedicel just below the calyx is very remarkable in this plant.—"A very small and insignificant annual," Mr. It. Gunn observes, "being barely visible, except that it happened*to be in flower (Nov. 1848) when few other plants were blossoming in the elevated region about Arthur's Lake!"

Fig. 1. Flower, f. 2. Petal, f. 3. Stamen and pistil, f. 4. Capsule, y. 5. Dissepiment and seeds :—magnified.



Brummondiana.

N. O. Myrtacce?.

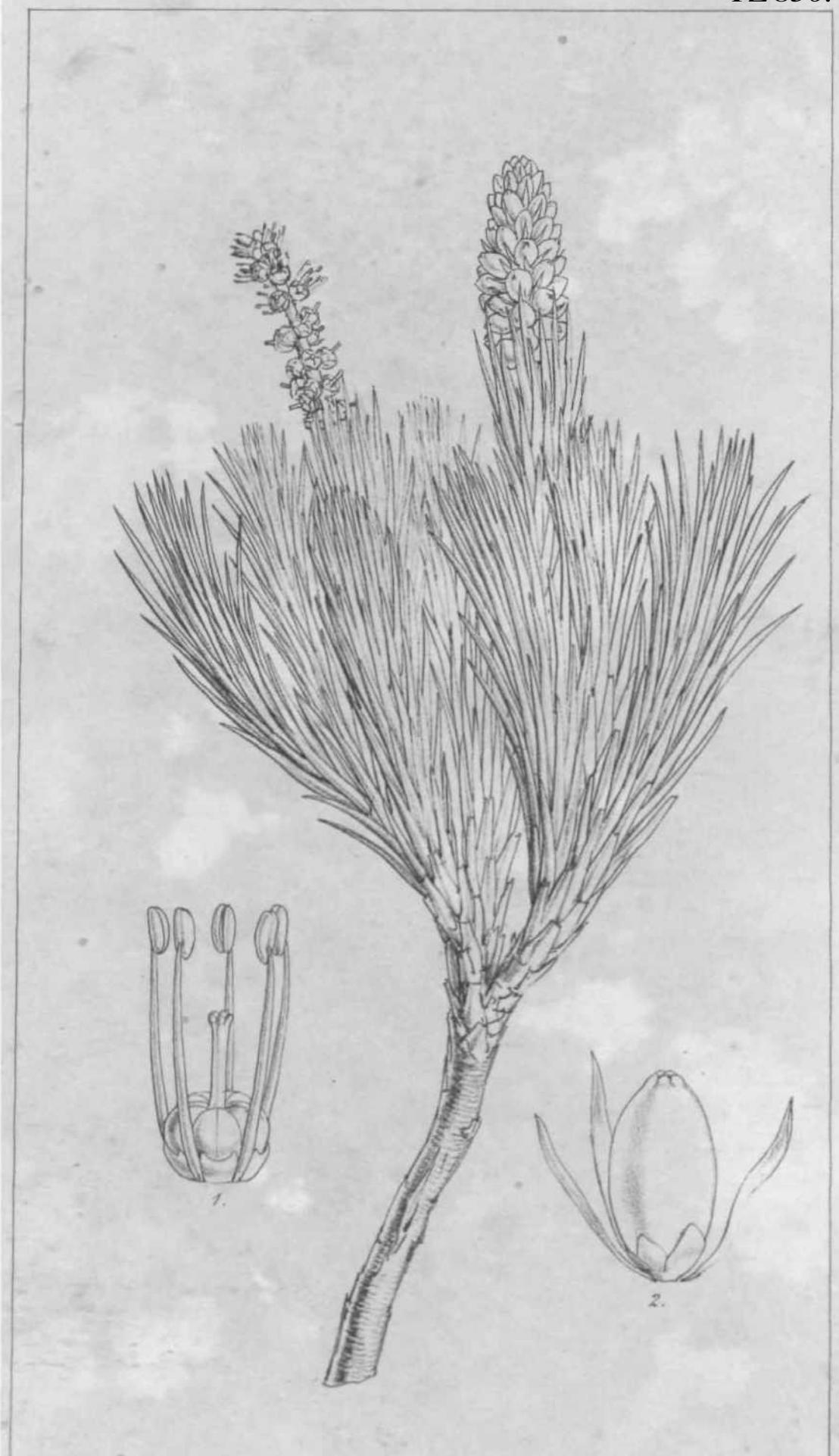
TAB. DCCOXLIX.

EUCALYPTUS PLATYPUS, *Hook.*

Glaberrima, ramis tcretibus, foliis alternis obcordatis crasso-coriaceis rigidis nitidis impunctatis subsinuatis in petiolum brevem subtortum attenuates, pedunculo axillari longitudine foliorum anciipi-compresso latissimo lignoso-coriacco apice 3-5-floro, operculo cylindraceo conico clongato-obtuso, calyce turbinato, staminibus numerosis sulphureis caljce longi&ribus.

HAB. South-western Australia, near King George's Sound, *Drummond* (». 183).

A very remarkable species of *Eucalyptus*, easily distinguished in this extensive and difficult genus. *Hue. Preimana*, Schauer, has a similar broad and anciipitate peduncle, but that is placed in the division *Oppositifolia*, and has the leaves opposite or sub-alternate, elliptical, oblong or subparabolic, pellucido-punctate, the base rounded, and the petiole as long as the peduncle,—characters much at variance with our plant.



Gumiana.

N. O. Epacridese.

- TAB. DOCGL.

RICHBA SCOPABIA, *Hook.JU.*

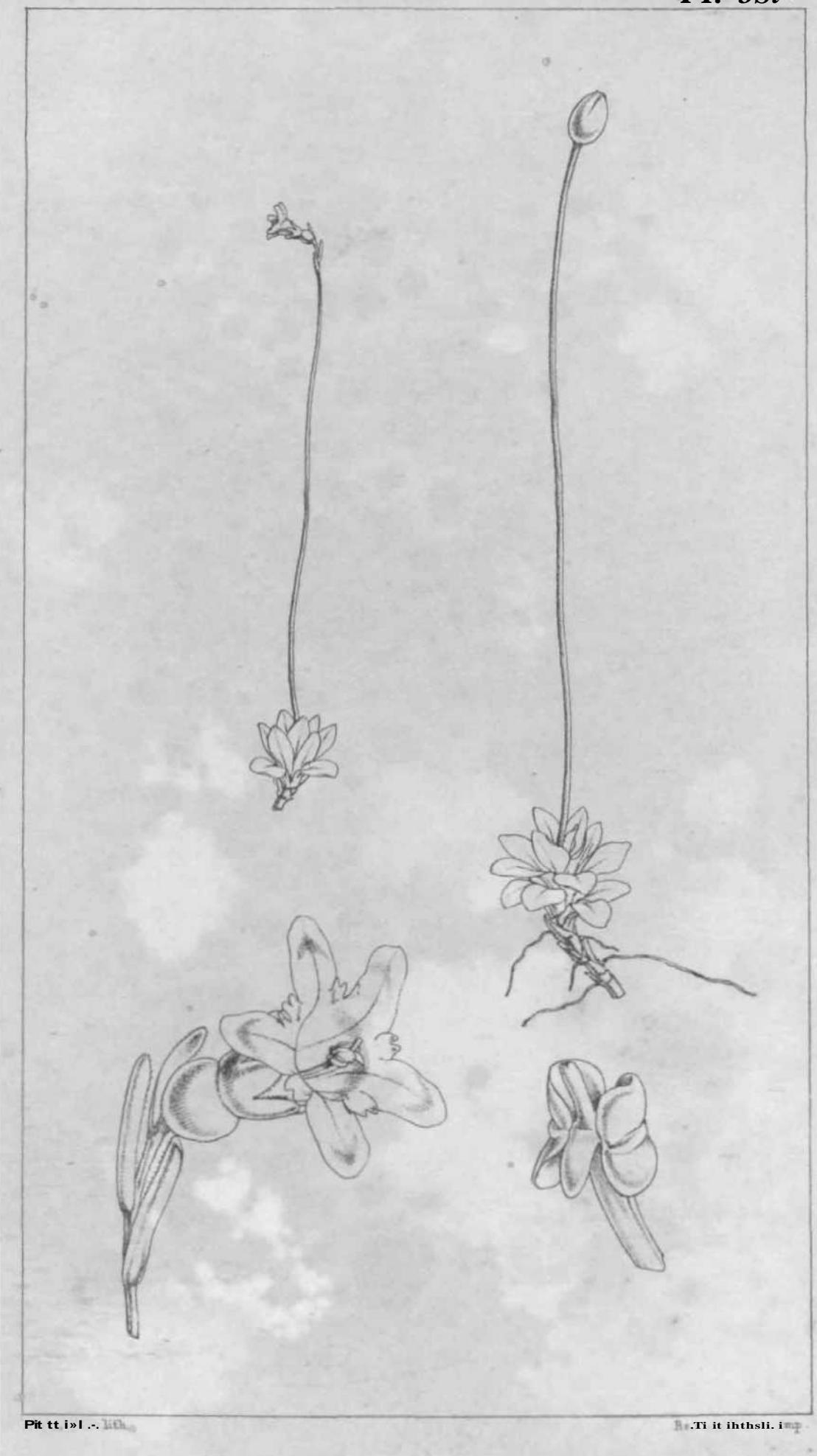
Caule brevi lignoso apice fastigiatis ramoso, foliis scsquiuncialibua erectis rigidis strictis e lata semiamplexicauli basi subulato-pungentibus leviter canaliculatis marginibus carinaque (apicem versus) asperulis, spica terminali dense composita folia vix superante bracteata, biacteis linearis-acuminatis longitudine fere floris, sepalis late ovatis, corolla ovali, ore brevissime 5-dentato clause

Bichea scoparia, *HooLjil. in Lond. Journ. Sot. v. 6.p. 273.*

HAB. Mount Wellington and Valentine's Peak, Van Diemen's Land, Lawrence, Backhouse, R. Gtmn. Mount Sorell, Macquarie Harbour, R.-Gunn (n. 2049).

This is undoubtedly a *Richea* of Brown, according to the structure of the corolla, which is closed at the mouth, and separates transversely from its base before the fruit ripens. It is, as Dr. Hooker observes (*I. c*), very different from any other known species.

Fly. I. Stamens, pistil, and hypogynous glands, *f. 2.* Flower and bracts :—*magnified*.



Gunniana.

N. O. Stylidea.

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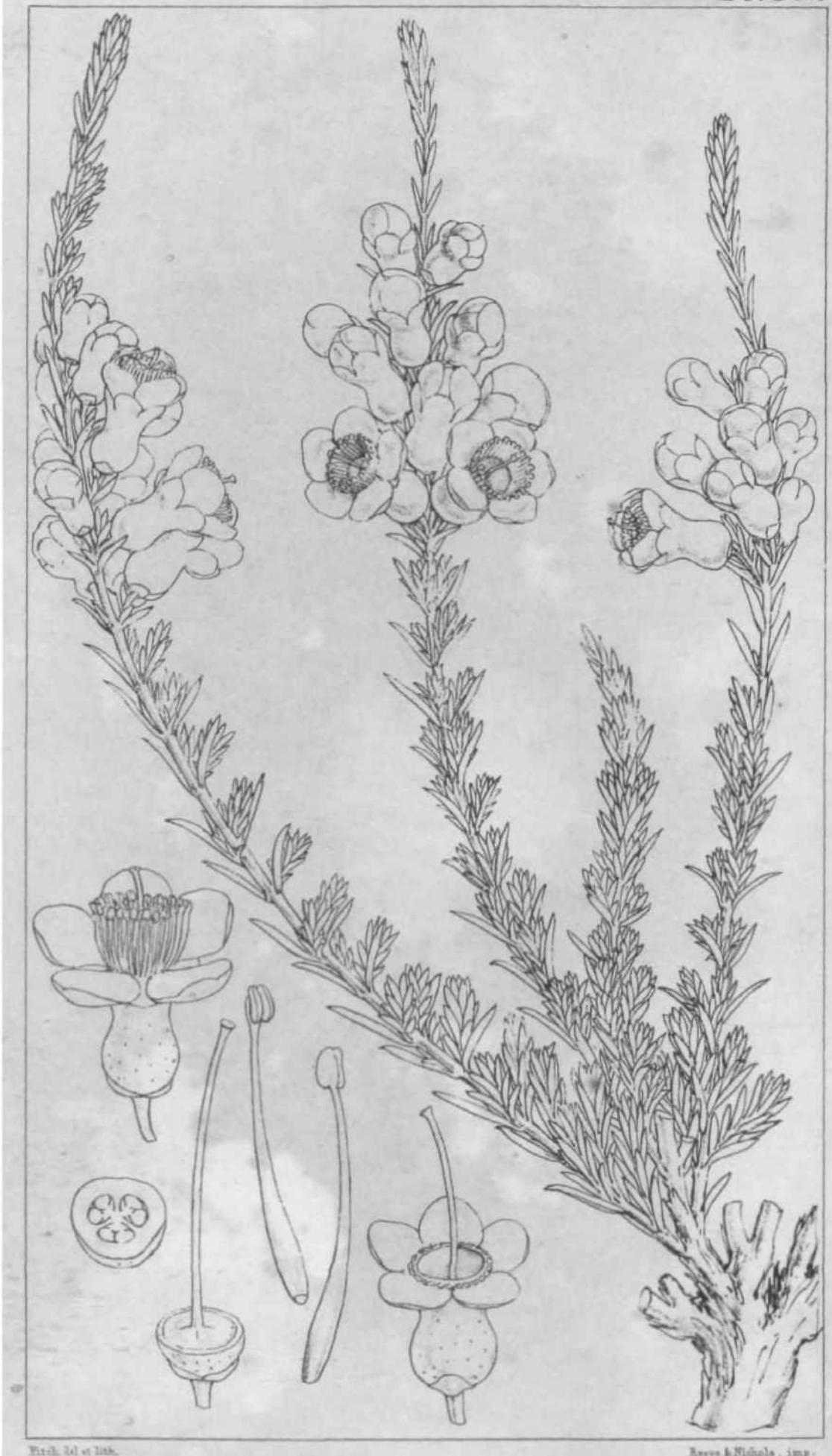
FORSTERA BELLIDIFOLIA, *Hook.*

Glabra, caule perbrevi radicante, foliis rosulatis spathulatis obtusis subcoriaceis marginatis, scapo digitali filiformi unifloro nudo vel ante apicem bi-tribracteato, bracteis linearibus, flore inclinato, calycis tubo globoso glabro, limbi lobis lineari-oblongis, corollse limbi subregularis lobis oblongis obtusis patentibus sinubus squama erosa auctis.

**HAB. Mount Sorell; Macquarie Harbour, Van Diemen's Land,
*E. Gunn, Esq.***

This appears to be a very curious little plant, of which unfortunately our specimen only afforded one, not very perfect, flower; and some apology is due for its representation in such a state. If we see correctly, the corolla is nearly regular, with five spreading, oblong, obtuse segments, and alternating with them, in the sinuses, is a fimbriated or erose scale. The stigma also appears, to be two-lipped. Our main object in offering so incomplete a figure, is to direct attention to the plant and its locality; and we are not without hopes that we shall soon be able to give a more complete analysis of it. If, as we suspect, a *Forstera*, it is the first that has been detected in Australia.

**Fig. 1. Flowering, and /. 2. fruiting specimen:—natural size,
f. 3. Upper extremity of scape with a flower. /. 4. Upper portion
of the column with stamens, and what appeared to be a two-lipped
style:—magnified.**



TAB. DCCCLII.

BALAUCTION* PULCHEBILIMUM, *Hook.*

GEN. CHAR. *Balaustion*, *Hook.* (Myrtacere, Leptospermeae). *Calycis colorati tibus amplus, urceolatus, ima basi solummodo ovario adhserens, reliquus liber; limbus 5-partitus, lobis late ovatis submembranaceis patentibus. Petala 5, ovali-orbicularia, calyccm paulo superantia, intense coccinea. Stamina numerosa, petalorum longitudinis, ad oram calycis inserta sejie simplici; filamenta subulata; anthera dorso inserta, connectivo oblongo, bilocularis, loculis parallelis rima longitudinali deliiscentibus. Ovarium parvum, in funde calycis cum ejus basi adhserens, turbinatum, trilpculare; loculis sub-6-ovulatis, ovulis in duas lineas superpositis. Stylus stamina superans, filiformis. Stigma paulo- dilatatum.—Erutex humilis Australasia meridionaU-occidentalis.* Caulis basi crassus, tortuosus; rami copiosi, fasciculati, densi, gradles, stricti, spit/iamai ad pedales, corlice pallido, pelliculo albo laxo tecti. Folia opposita et in axillas fasciculata, in ramulos brevissima, linearia, acute triquetra, punctato-glandulosa; petiolo brevissimo fusco in ramum articulato. Eiores copiosi, pro magnitudine planter magni, speciosi, colore et fere forma Punicse nanae glandulosopunctati, secundi, versus apicem ramorum siti. Pedunculi brevissimi, folio breviores, e ramulis axittaribus orti, infra calycem fibracteati, bracteis ovatis membranaceis coloratis calycis basi appressis.

Balaustion pulc/ierrimum.

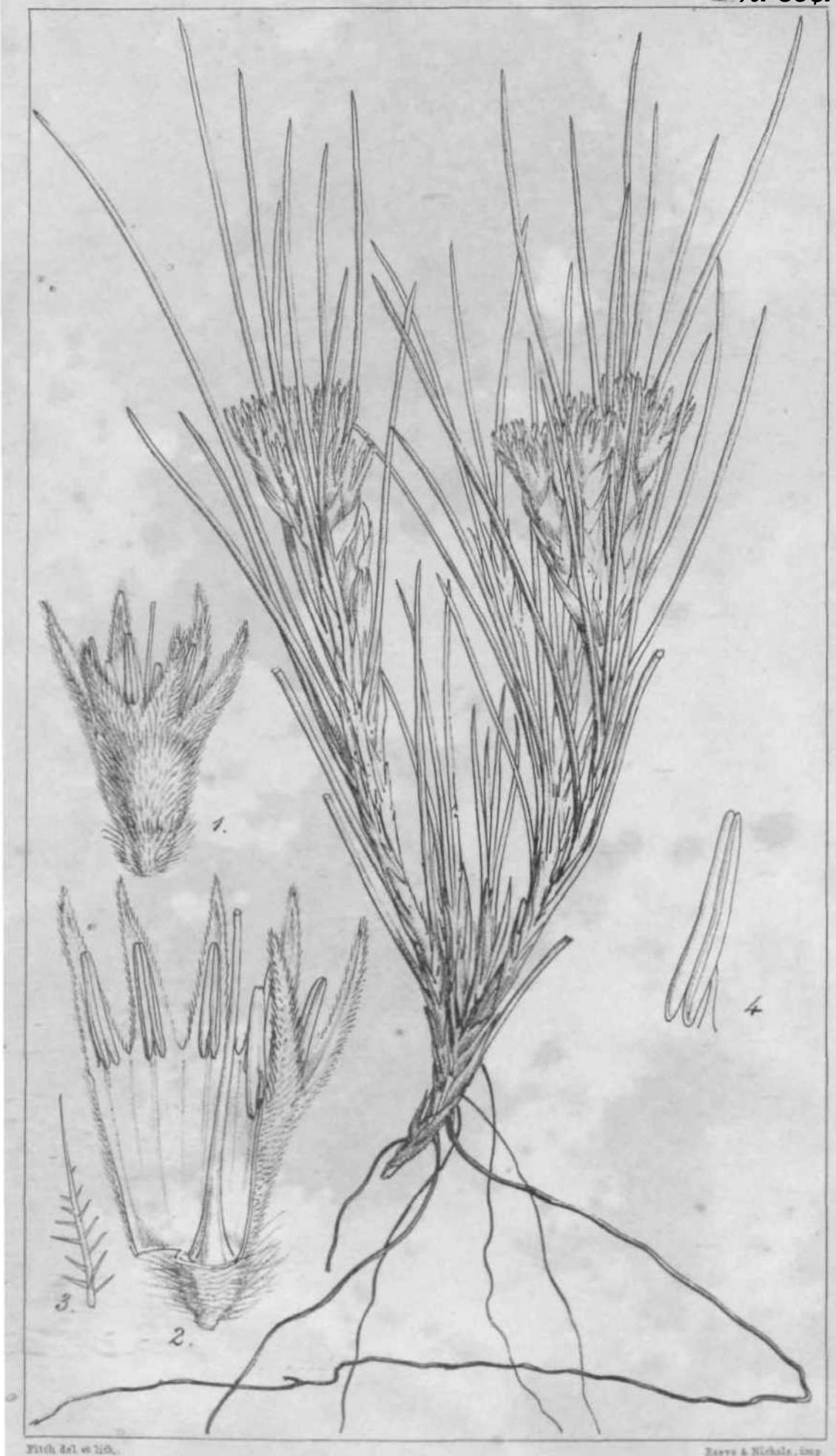
HAB. South-western Australia, discovered between the Swan River and King George's Sound, *Drummond*.

Certainly one of the most lovely of plants, with flowers three-fourths of an inch long, richly coloured, and both in shape and colour very much resembling those of the dwarf Pomegranate. The nearest affinity of the genus is with *Hypocalymna*, Endl., of one species of which, *H. robustum*, it is said "floribus copiosis speciosisque ornatissima:" but this has as much the superiority over that, as that has over the *Leptospermum* groupe in general of Myrtacece. Petals, even when dry, of the most brilliant scarlet.

Fig. 1. Flower, *f. 2.* Calyx, including the pistil. */. 3, 4.* Stamens, *f 5.* Pistil, the free portion of the calyx being removed. *f 6.* Transverse section of the ovary:—*magnified.*

* *BaKaforiop* is the name given to the wild flowers of the Pomegranate. *Diosc.*

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Drmimandiana.

N. 0. Haemodoraceae.

TAB, DOOCLIII.

CONOSTYLIS VAGINATA, *Eflsl.*

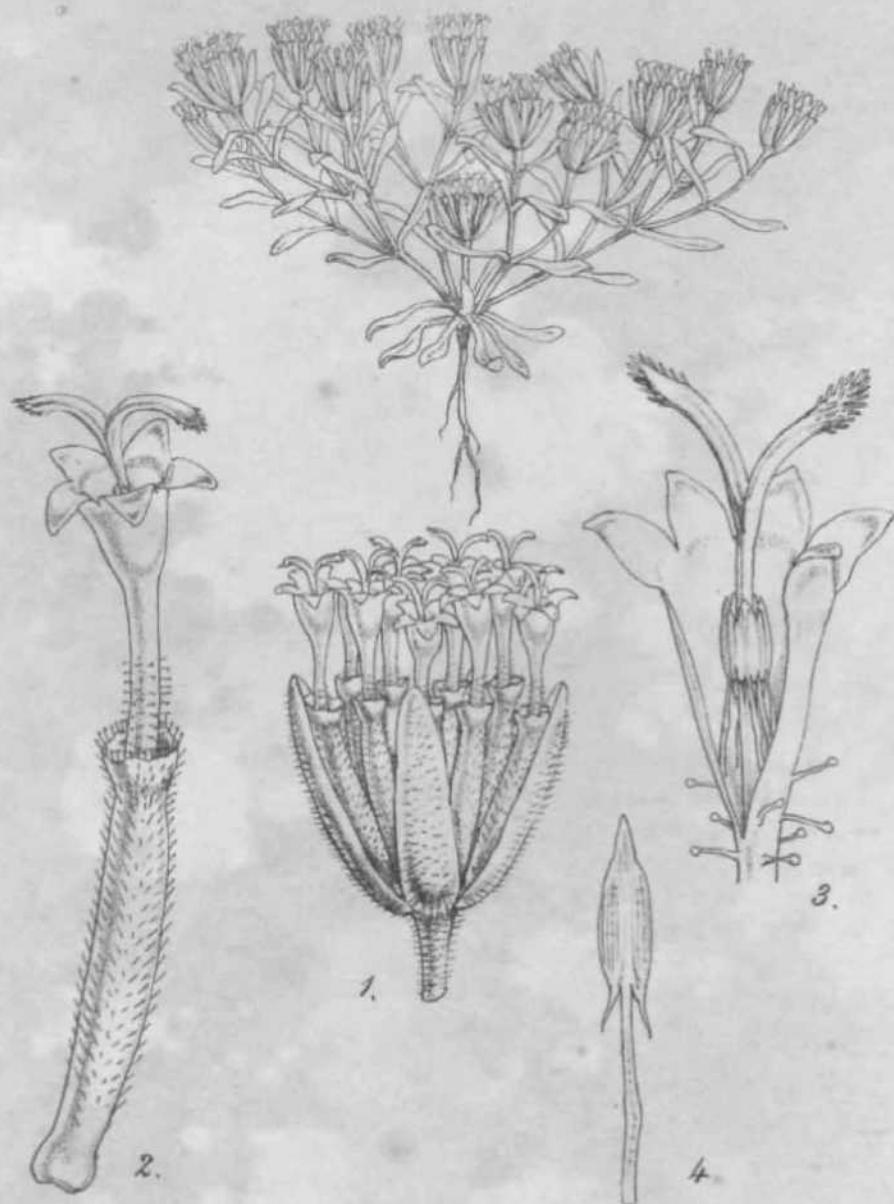
Foliis tcreti-filiformibus loevissimis scapo indiviso dense laiato
vaginis membranaccis tecto longioribus, perigonio extus tomen-
toso basi hispido intus glabro, laciniis acutis tubo brevioribus,
staininibus uniserratis. *EndL*

Conostylis vaginata, *EndL* in *Plant. Preiss.* v. i.j). 23.

HAD. South-western Australia; between Manypeak and Cape
Kiche, Plantagant district, *Preiss* (n. 1333). Swan River
district, *JDrummmd* (n. 444).

Twenty-eight species of *Conostylis* are enumerated in the 'Plant© Preissianrc/ or Plants of Western and South-western Australia, alone. The present, along with the *C.juncea*, *EndL*, coine into the fifth section, "Tribus *Conostylis juncea*" *Endlicher*. It is a harsh, rigid plant, with the *stem*, or caudex as the latter author calls it, 3-4 inches long, branched at the base, and then sending out a few flexuose wiry fibres: the stem itself clothed with copious, often lacerated, membranaceous, carinated scales, intermixed with the *leaves*, which are 2-4 inches long, tereti-filiform, glabrous, rigid, with a broad membranaceous base, acute at the point, overtopping the flowers. *Flowers* several together, terminal, on short pedicels. *Perianth* densely hairy externally, the hairs plumose or rather setiferous: within, the perianth is glabrous. *Anthers* nearly sessile, attached to the base of the segments of the perianth, linear, forked at the base. *Ovary* more than half inferior. *Style* as long as the flower. *Stigma* simple.

Fig. 1. Perianth. */. 2.* The same laid open. */. 8.* Branched
or g^umose hair. *f. 4.* Stamen:—/*magnified*.



Drummondiana.

N. O. Composite.

TAB. DCCCLIV.

SCYFHOGOBONIS VISCOSA, A. Gray.

GEN. CHAR. *Scyphocoronis*, A. Gray, nov. gen.—*Capitulum* 8-12-florum, homogamum; floribus omnibus hermapliroditis tubuiosis, centrali ssepe sterili. *Involuorum* uniseriale, 5-phylum; squamis linearibus, herbaceis, caiinato-concavis, flores oequantibus. *Receptaculum* parvum, cpaleaceum. *Corolla* tubo gracili, limbo cyathiformi, 5-lobo. *Anthem* breves, basi breviter caudat». *Styli* rami apice subdilatati, extus hirtelli, acutiusculi. *Achamia* lincaria, cylindrjea, glabriuscula, callo basilari maximo inserta, pappo cyathiformi, continuo, persistente, coriaceo, integriusculo coronata.—*Hcrbn piisilla annua*, *viscoso-pubescent*; caulis sesquiuncialibus, diffwds, apice monocephialis; foliis subspathulato-linearibus, opposite et alternu. *QoToMbjlavida*, tubo cum margine rejando pqppi corona, fflan-dulis jaedicellatis consperso.

Scyphocoronis viscosa, A. Gray, in Kew Gard. Mtsc. ineā.

HAB. South-western Australia, Drummond.

From the style, this little plant should perhaps be referred to the *Mteroidea*; but none of the *Tarchmanthea* arc homogamous, and the *BitphtludmetB* have a paleaceous receptacle.. >It is evidently related to our new genus *Anthocerastes*, which has a nearly similar style, and the aspect of some small *GnapJialtea* or *far-chonanthea*. A. Gray,

Fig. 1. Capitulum. / 2. Floret. /. 3. Portion of the corolla laid open. /. 4. Stamen:—magnified.



TAB. DCCCLV.

DIOTOSPERMA DRUMMONDU, A. Gray,

GEN. CHAR. DIOTOSPERMA, A. Gray, nov. gen.—*Capitulum* pauciflorum, heterogamum; floribus radii 3-4, femeinis, vix ligulatis, disci totidem, tubulosis, abortu masculis. *Involucrum* simplex, uniseriale, e squamis 5-6 consimilibus, ovato-oblongis, concaviusculis, membranaceo-herbaceis, margine anguste scarioso ciliato-fimbriolatis, per anthesin flores cequantibus. *Eeceptaculum* parvum, plauum[^] epaleaceum. *Corolla* fl. radii tubo brevissimo oblique truncato in ligulam minimam apice 2-3-denticulatam vix explanato, stylo suo brevior, persistens; disci cyathiformis, parce glandidigera; limbo 3-4-lobo. *Antlwm* ovales, connate, ecaudate. *Stylus* fl. fern, bifidus, lobis linear-oblongis divaricatis glabris; fl. masc. superne incrassatus, apicem sscpius inssqualiter bilobus, lobis subulatis hispidis. *Ovarinm* fl. masc. lineare, exovulatum; fl. foem. acliænio simile sed multoties minus. *AcJuenia* involucrum £-8-plo superantia, ab co prorsus discreta, obovato-subtrigona, apice bicornia, nempe expfanata, obcompressa, alata; ala suberosa, crassa, arete involuta (ut acbeenium subtrigonum ventre profunde sulcatum appareat), ad alijcet late truncatum in auriculas hirsutas penlongas arrecto-patentes producta. *Pappus* nullus. *Cotyledoyics* obpresso-plana, leviter incurvsc.—*Herba pusilla* e radice annua, multicaulis, hinutula; caulis gracilibus, diffusis, ramosis; foliis integerrimis, infimis obovatis oppositis, superioribus subaUernis spat/iulatU vel mblinearibus; capitulis nwiimis, ad apicem ramorum solitariu paucisve aggregate* A. Gray.

Diotosperma Drummondii, A. Gray, in Kew Gard. Misc. ined.
HAB. South-western Australia, *Drummond*, (Received in 1850.)

ffig.l. Capitulum of florets, f. 2. Ditto of fruits. /. 3. Hair from an auricle of the achssnium. /. 4, 5. Achsenia. /. 6. Corolla and style of female flower. /. 7. Transverse section of an aclusnium. /. 8. Seed. / 9. Embryo. / **10. Male floret.** /. 11. Corolla laid open of a male floret:—*magnified*.



TAB. DCCCLVI.

DIMOBPHOLEPIS AUSTRALIS, A. Ofay.

GEN. CHAB. DIMOBPHOLEPIS AUSTBALIS, A. Gray, nov. gen.—
Capitulum multiflorum, heterogamum; floribus omnibus tuberosis, paucis foemineis marginalibus. corolla tenuiore sequaliter 3-dentata, ceteris hermaphroditis corolla 4-dentata. *Receptaculum* planum, nudum. *Involucrum* hemisphericum, imbricatum, disco requilongum, biflorine: exterius pauciseriale, e squamis scariosis ovato-lanceolatis marginibus dense setigero-fimbriatis, intimis breviter stipitatis; interius rarerale, e squamis incrassato-cartilagineis lanceolatis sessilibus, marginibus subciliatis, apice tenui fimbriato-laceris. *Anthera* basi bicaudatæ. *Styli* rami apice truncati. *AcJania* anguste oblonga, erostria, sub-compressa, glabra. *Pappus* fi. foem. minutus, setuloso-coroniformis, fl. hermaph. e paleis 3 (raro 1-2) setiformibus barbellato-fimbriatis summo apice acutissimis nudis corollam sequantibus.—Herba *pnmila annua*, *miiUicaulis*, *tenuiter villosa*, *mox glabra* caulis *IS-icncialibtis*, *mono-oliffOcepAalis*, *wane* *prolifero-ram'osis*; foliis *linearibus*, *alternis*, *summis capitulum* *sessile dracteantibū**. Involucri exterioris *squamce albidce*; flores *flavidi*.

Bimorpholepis australis, A. Gray, in *Kew Gard. Misc. ined**

HAB. South-western Australia, *Drummond*. Also in the interior of Eastern Australia, at Bathurst Plains, *Fraser*^m, and Nangers, *Captain M[€]Arthur*.

Stem erect or depressed-spreading. Heads from 2 to 3 lines long. Corolla slender, the ampliate summit minutely 4-toothed in the perfect, and 3-toothed in the female flowers; in the latter more slender, but otherwise similar, and destitute of stamens. *AcJtencia* somewhat narrowed at the apex, 4-nerved, the slender nerves minutely serrulate, scabrous under a lens, otherwise glabrous, or pearly so. Drummond's specimen is much condensed, the stems barely an inch high. That from Captain M[€]Arthur is erect, proliferously branched, and about three inches high, with a foliose-bracteate head sessile in each fork of the stem. The genus is evidently allied to *Panatia*, Cass., and *C/rysodisciis*, Steetz; but different from both in the two kinds of involucrum and pappus: the latter in the hermaphrodite flowers consists of narrow pale® rather than setae. A. Gray. .

Fig. 1. Capitulum. /. 2. Outer scale of ditto. /. 3. Inner scale and female floret. /. 4. Stamen. /. 5. Inner floret, perfect. /. 6. Palea of perfect floret:—*magnified*.



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N. O. Gentianey.

TAB. DCCCLVII.

GENTIAN A (§ *Crossopetalum*) DETONSA, *Fries* | var. y.

Caule erectiusculo, foliis oblongo-lanceolatis linearibusque marginc scabriusculis, imis rosulatis spathulatis, pcdunculis unifloris siibsolitariis, calycis 4-5-fidi lobis]leruinque insequalibus ovatis lanceolatisque corollas tubum cainpanulatum subsequantibus, coroll© cserulese lobis oblongis obtusis basi ciliatis superne crenatis erecto-patcntibus tabo sabbrevioribus, ovario elliptico breviter stipitato, stiginatibus distinctis stylo imposiis, semiuibus squamuloso-aculeolatis.

Gentiana detonsa, *Fries*.—*Griseb. in De Cand. Prodr. v.Q.p.lQ].*
(*cum synon.*)

0. barbata, *Fries*.—*Griseb, L c.* (*cum synon.*)

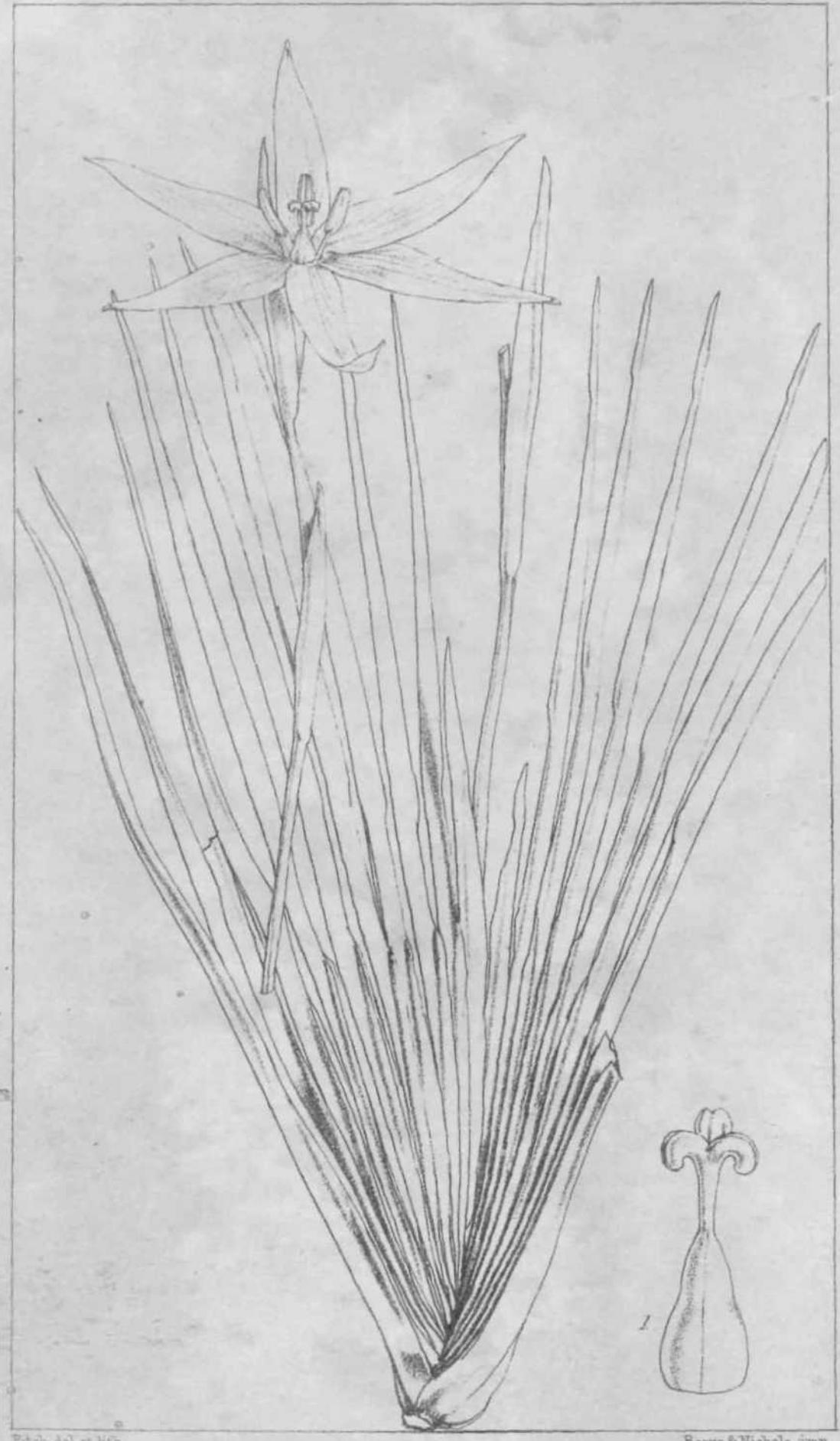
y. *paludosa*; foliis latioribus obtusioribus, calycis tubo 4-angdato-alato^ lobis latis acutis, lobis corollinis brevi-barbatis.—G. paludosa, *Munro, JUS.*

UAB. Marshes at Kisung, Thibet, *Caplaut Mnnro* (?). 2352).

The locality of this plant, so distant from the otherwise widely-spread known stations, together with the distinguishing characters above given, induced me at first to consider this Gentian distinct from the *G. detonsa* of Fries, itself very near, and often confounded with, the *G. ciliata*, L. The tube of the calyx is clearly winged at the angles.

Fig. 1. Corolla laid open :—natural size.

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TAB. DCCCLVIII.

HEWARDIA TASMANICA, *Hook.*

GEN. CHAR. HEWARDIA, *Hook.*, nov. gen.—*Perianthiunt* 6-phyl-lum, corollatum, stellato-patens, sepalis magnis acuminatis. *Stamina* 3, libera, basi sepalorum exteriorum inserta; *filamenta* lato-subulata, brevia; *anthera* filamentis longiores, oblonge, basi bifidse affixte, posticse. *Ovarium* pyramidatum, obtuse triquetrum, 3-loculare, loculis dupli serie polyspermis. *Stylus* ovario brevior. \$li^2fffa3, crassa, recitrvata, stylo jpaulo breviora. *Fructus* . . . —*Herba Tasmanica* ^ *acaulis*. -*Folia numerosa, cnsifor-mi-graminea, arida, rigida, dislic/ia, longe equitantia, vaginis elongatis nitidissimis. Scopus foliis longior, erectus, Jlexuosus, bracteatus; bracteis in/erne longe vaginantibus, suprema spa-thacea florifera. Spatha |-%-jlora. Flores speciosi, siccitate atro-purpurei, triandri.* Habitus Iridis vel *Sisyrinchii*.

Hewardia Tasmanica, *IfooL*

IIAB. Heathy plains, Macquarie Harbour! Van Diemen's Land, *B. Gunn, Esq.*

If, as we have endeavoured to show (*Species Filicum*, vol. ii. p. 7), the genus *Hewardia* of Mr. Smith is not based on really sound principles, but should merge, as was already suggested by Kunze, into *Adiantum*, we are sure that the many friends of that gentleman will gladly see so remarkable a plant as the present dedicated to him, one which we think none will hesitate in pronouncing a good genus, a plant, too, of Australia, a country so much explored by his dearest friend, Mr. Allan Cunningham, whose travels, as well as those of Leichardt, Mr. Heward has so well narrated.*

Our plant here figured has so entirely the habit of an Iridaceous plant, that we are not ashamed to say that, till we observed the superior ovary, we had considered it a *Sisyrinchium* with free stamens, or a *Libertia*. It appears to be very rare, confined to one, and that a very little frequented district, of Van Diemen's Land. Of the *Melanthaceae*, it is perhaps most allied to *Pleea*, especially in habit and spathaceous scape; but there the anthers are introrsc. In the reduced number of stamens and large showy flowers, it is very distinct from any genus. It was detected in 1842, when Mr. Gunn accompanied Sir John Franklin on an overland tour to Macquarie Harbour,—an excursion so dangerous that it cost the life of two of the party, and threatened the lives of all.

Fig. 1. Pistil:—magnified.

* See Mr. Reward's valuable Memoir of the life of Allan Cunningham, Esq., in the 'Journal of Botany,' vol. iv. p. 231.



TAVII, IXXJCLIV

Po/OP8I9 CO11DIFO1!.v. Hook.

GEN. **C**SAB. PozoVsí, *Hook.* (Umbell. § Milliner).—Pida.
MASC. *Calycis margo* integer, tubus parvus **cyathiformia**, *Pe-*
patentia, obovata, unguiculata, integra, secundaria. *Stamina*
5; *J*umenta petalis duplo breviora, patentia incurva; *antheræ*
subglabrosa. *Ocarinam* abortivum, calycis tubo adnatum.
Stylopodia magnifica. *Styli* breves, **suboblongi**, **paalati**, **paalati**
incurvi. **F**EM. *Calycis margo* obscure 5-dentatus. *Petala*
patentia, obvato-spathula, integra, aequalia. *Styli* 2, **brevi-**
usculi, subdivaricati. *Stylopodia iucra**-ata. *Slamina nulla*.
Fructus **oblongo-ovalis**, tetragonus, conumissa valde con-
tracta (utroque latere profunde canaliculata). *Mericarpia*
dorso compressa (hinc fructus quasi parallele biscutatus), jujWS
vittis jue (sub jugia) b, quonun f ad commissuram sitis.—*Herba*
Tasmanica. *Radix descendens*, *crassiuscula*, **fibrota**. *Folia*
omnia radicalia, *cordatijirii**-bra, crenata, longe petiolata,
petiolis longitudo patientia *villosis*, basi dilatata membranacea.
*Scapus solitaris**, tmniito apkyllus, *folia supcrans*, *deserto-*
villosus. *Umbella simplex*, *totUaria*, *deiuia*, *hemisphærico-capi-*
tata. *Involucrum* foliola *tutileec*, *linearia*, membranacea, *urn-*
bella breviora. *Pedicelli breviusculi*, *filiformes*, *glabri*.

Pozopsis cordifolia, *Book**HAB.* Summit of Mount Sorrell, Macquarie Harbour, Van Diemen's Land, *R. Gunn*, E*q.

An exceedingly pretty and very distinct Umbelliferous plant, with very much the habit of *Posoia* of the Chilean Valdes, and of which the frost is not much at variance with the *thaia* genus: but the dioecious flowers are our*pLiiit, and the many-leaved, not entire involucrum, will readily distinguish it. The specimens, when dry at least, assume a rich brown hue, and the hairs of the peduncles and scape are Esraginous and very coarse. The blade of the leaf is quite glabrous, very pale, and with prominent nerves b*neiitli*.

Fig. 1. Ifalfl plant. *f. 2.* Female plant:—natural size. *f. 3.* Male flower. *f. 4.* Female flower. *f. 5.* Fruit. *f. 6.* Transverse section of the fruit:—magnified.



TAB. DCCCLX.

FRITIÉL vltlA liOYLIK, Hook.

Caule basi longe nndo sursuin folioso uni-bi-trilluro, fuliis **infimis** oppositis auperioribus verticilhitia 4—5-nisvelauceolatis atteuuata (nou ctrrosis), flore nutuute tessellato, sepalis basi non gibbosis.

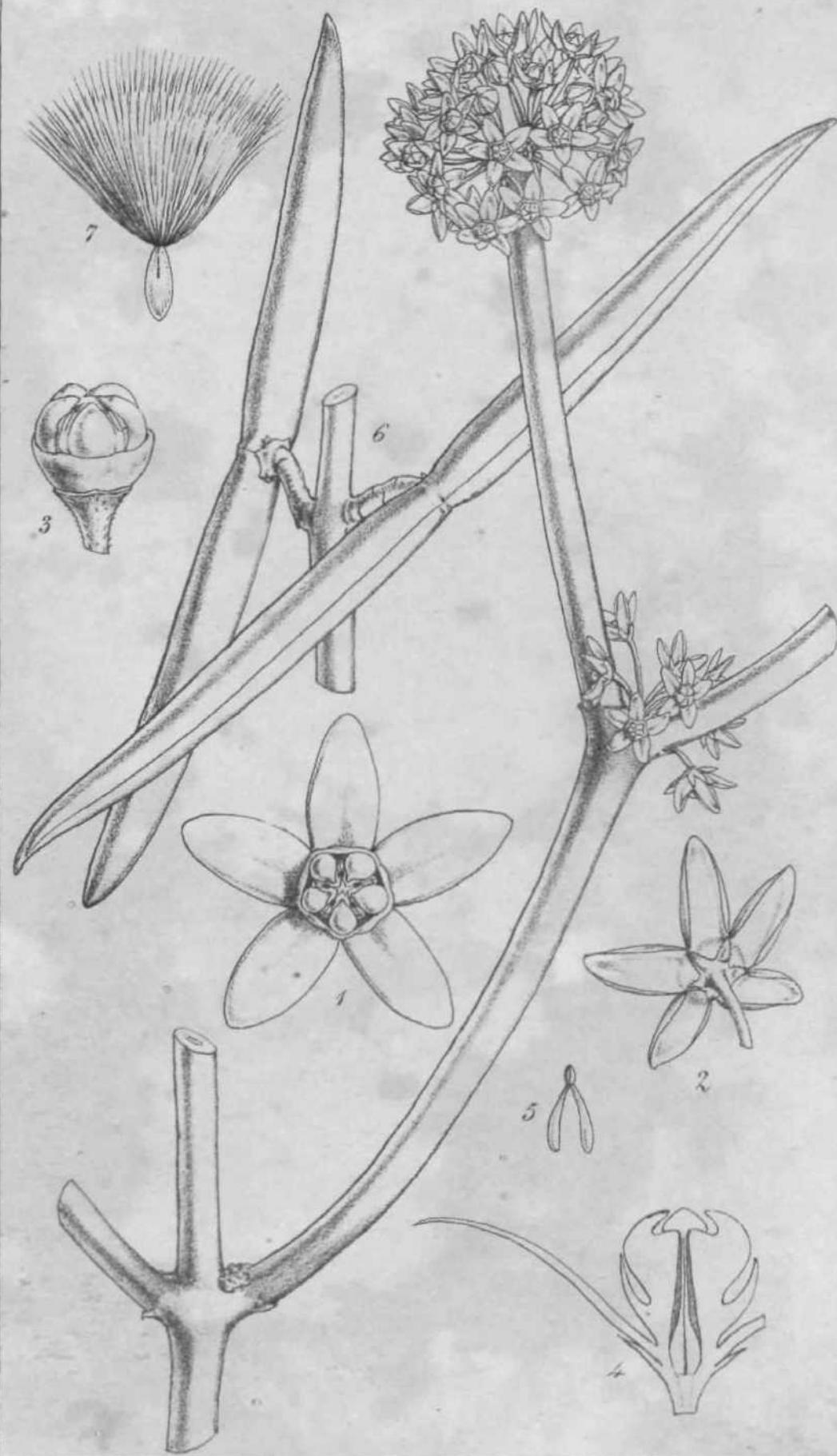
Kriillam vrticillata, Wall. Cat. tt. 5079, Boyle, III. **ffimal. BoL** p. 3S7. L 02 ./. %. (fian alior.)

F. **cineoa**, Bon, Frodr. Fl. Nep. p. 51 ?

IIAB. **Hamalaja Mountains**, of Karaoun, Gurwhal, Simorc, ami of the Punjab; eltv. **9-1£,0Q0 feet, 2k**, Wallich, Dr. lioyk, Captain Mimro, Major Jt ~~Ladden~~, JJr. T. Thomson.

Dr. lloyle has well **figured** this plant; and observes, in allusion to it, "A Bp&des o! this genus, sent by Mr. Moorcroft from near Ludak, and found by Mr. Inglis on the Jlerendo Vass, is common in the Iliinnl:n:is ai derationa of from **9,000 to L1,000** icct, as on Choor, Kedarhantij and in Komaoij where the mount:iius arc covered with snow for IKIIC the year. Hiis lias been described bj Mr. bon under ihi- name of *P. eirrotahvA* is referred bff S)rengi;l ;iiif(Dr. Wallich, and %nred in the present work, tab; U2. f. %, \> the name of *F. verttctllata*, Willd., a plant of Siberia and the **Utau Mountains**. Hm it is toubti'ul WJICHIKT BU mdmded under thiis iame belong to the aame species."—I. think it may be saFelj asserted that Dr. Boyle's plant, and Dr. Thomson's and Captain Munro'a, which liave no cirrlili, arc quite distinct from Willdc-aoVa JR verlicillata, wel] figured under that name bj Ledebonr (Ic. Plant. Bar. Alt, vol. i. p. 3. t. 2), and by Dr. Graham in the BoL Mag. t, 3088, under the name of *F. kucantha*. That has cirrhose leaves, whii- flowers, aot teaaeUatedj and the sepals have B cemariably deep nectary forming a gibbosity at the base mi the outside.

Fit/. 1. l'iatil.—natural size.



TAD. DCCCLXI.

SARCOSTEMMA BEACHYSTIGMA, *Wight.*

*Aphyllum, ramis teretibus crassis, umbellis terminalibus laterali-
busque, pedicellis calyceque glabris, corolle laciniis ovatis
obtusiusculis glabris, corona staminea exteriore 10-crenata
. interiore foliolis ovatis dorso-gibbosis gynostegiuin tcquantibus,
stigmate mutico.*

*Sarcostemma brachystigma, Wight et Arn. Contrib.to Bot. of India,
p. 59. Jacquem. Voy. Bot. jo. 107.1.113. Decaime in De
Cand. Prodr. v. 8. p. 538.*

Sarcostemma viminale, Wall. M88. {fide Dene.)

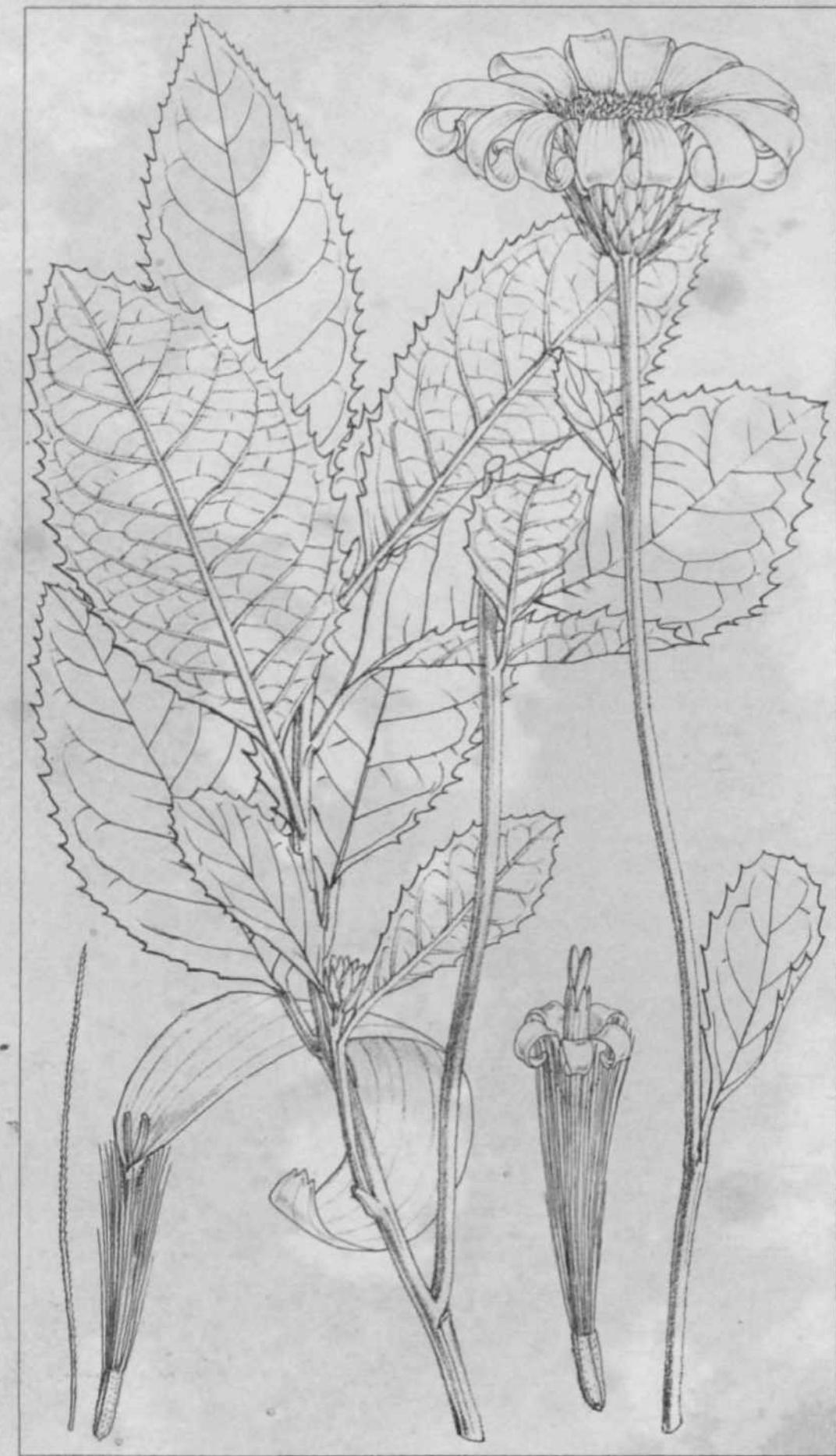
Asclepias acida, Boxb. Fl. Ind. v. 2. p. 31.

Asclepias aphylla, Boxb. Ic. ined.

HAB. Coromandel, *Wight mid Arnott. Scinde, Dr. Stocks.*

Eoxburgh is silent in regard to any precise locality of this plant, observing, that it is a "native of hedges, forests, &c, but by no means common." Drs. Wight and Arnott give Coromandel as the habitat. Decaisne, in Jacquemont, observes "locus natalis ignotus." Dr. Stocks sends excellent specimens (accompanied by a drawing, from which our figure is made) from Scinde. Wo have not seen living plants, but those who have done so speak of it as a climber, though our specimens scarcely indicate that. The stems are as thick as a swan's quill, succulent, terete, jointed at the setting on of the branches, everywhere glabrous, leafless. Umbels of numerous rather small flowers, terminal and sometimes lateral. Pedicels short, and, as% well as the small calyx, glabrous. Corolla rotate, the segments oval or ovate. Outer corona a 10-crenated or bluntly toothed short cup; inner of five gibbous connivent folioles, which come to a point. Fruit, which does not seem to be known to any author, consists of two horizontally spreading, cylindrical, slightly acuminate follicles.

Fig. 1. Flower. /. 2. Underside of ditto. /. 3. The double corona. /. 4. Corona cut through vertically. /. 5. Pollen-masses. /. 6. Follicles:—natural size. / 7. Seed:—all but f. 6 more or less magnified.



TAB. DCCCLXII.

OLEARIA? GRANDIFLOEA, Hook.

Rainis foliisque subtus sericeo-tomentosis nitidis, foliis petiolatis ellipticis acutis coriaceis angusto **hueqoaliter dentatis** reticulatis supra glabris, calitulo magno solitario in **ramolo elongato** paucifolio terminal[^] **involuci** turbinati squamis **linearf-lanceul:itis** appressis sericeis inferioribus subinucronatis, radii ligulis oblongis latis albis.

SAB. Adelaide, South Australia, *Charles Button, Esq.*

The *Coinposita-Ax-roidea*, notwithstanding the labours of <*Casbini, Leasing, Tses, and De Candolk;*, arc far ironi being satisfactorily **divided** into genera, Our present plant, which J. **believe** is quite new, **might**, as far as we can judge of characters from a single llower which I am unwilling to destroy, have equal claims to rank with *Eurybia* as with *Olearia*: in habit, in the large **terminal** solitary flowers, it agrees with neither.* The leaves are large, strongly toothed, pale green above, with ~~hd~~ depressed **reticulated** ~~ve~~ ins; beneath, beautifully silky and glossy with soft tomentum, and having thin **prominent** reticulated veins. The only specimen I possess sends out, as it were, a lateral elongated branch, with few distant and small leaves, bearing a large capitulum, with con* spicuous broad white rays. The receptacle I have not been able to examine. The achenia are oblong-cylindrical, slightly hairy. The pappus has the outer hairs short, the rest as long as the tubular portion of the corollia (both of the disc and of the circumference); the longer hairs or seke scabrous.

Fig. 1. Floret from the disc. f. 2. Floret from the circumference. /. 3. Inner set a :—magnified.

* Our Herbarium possesses another plant which will rank with the present, and which I will, pruviMunalty, be this **w i n** mid distinguished;—
Olearia? pannasa-, foliis brevissimis petiolatis elliptico-ovatis coriaccia aeutiusnibus supra ghbris subtus **done** ferrugineo-paunosis, [icduuciuis paucis **iubtenniBalibm** apliyilis **OerntgiaeO'Unii** ~~tosis su~~ jicrue iucrassulis **monocephalu**, eapittdo **mtgao**, iiivohim **pol/philli** «iuunis lauceylati:; acuniuatis imbricatis twiirtosis, radii corollis hit is **pmpimb**.

HAB. Near the Mutay River, South Australia, *Mr. WkUaker.*



Stocksianee.

N. O. Asclepiadeae.

TAB. DCOCLXIII.

MASTOSTIGMA VABIANS, *J. E. Stocks.*

GEN. CHAR. MASTOSTIGMA, *Stock*, nov. gen.—*Calyx* 5-partitus.
Corolla rotata, 5-partita. Corona staminea petaloidea, cyathiformis, alte 5-lobata, gynostegium subsequans. Anthera appendice membranacea (connective) explanato terminat sc. Massa pollinis clavatae, penduke. Gynostegium basi in stipitem brevem angustatum; stigmate obtuse conico, subbilobo, ultra antherarum appendices et pollinia mamillari. FofficuK ellipsoidei, incani, spinulis innocuis echinati. Semina comosa.—Herba Brahuico-Scindica erecta, ramosa. Folia carnosa. Umbelhe interpetiolares. *J. E. Stocks.*

Mastostigma varians, *J. K Stocks.*

HAB. rocky ground in Scinde and Beloochistan, *Dr. J. E. Stocks.*
" Herbaceum, dpmse incanum. Folia carnosa, pnbre brevi canopruinosa, margine undulato-crispa; inferiora rotundato-ovata, basi subcordata, apice obtusa vel retusa; superiora ovalia, acuminata. Umbellce sessiles, 2-8-flo*3. Sepala linear-acuminata, pubescentia. Corolla glabno; lobi oblongi, tubo longiores, nervo medio carinato, margine repKcati, apice nunc integri, ninc biidi, patentes. Corona staminea lobi ovati, margine reduplicati (sinubus extrorsum prominulis), apice nunc integri, nunc bifidi^ erceto-patentes. Follicnli rostrati^ pubc minuta canescents.^w

" A succulently brittle plant, appearing after rain, and quickly withering. Leaves thick, very variable in outline, the upper ones crowded, curled, and wavy. Flowers sweet-smelling : the corolla and corona pure white or golden yellow. The plant is called *Moonga*, and its follicles, are eaten raw by the hill-people. Its milk is abundant, and perfectly wholesome. A cynoctoneous genus, with fruit as in some species of *Glossonema*" *J. E. Stocks.*

Fig. 1. Flower. /. 2: Vertical section of flower. /. 3. Follicle :—magnified, f. 4. Seed:—natural size.



TAB. DCOCLXrV.

PORTERIA BRAOTBSOENS, *Hook.*

GEN. CHIAR. PORTERIA, *Hook.*, nov. gen.—*Cafycis tubus* (cum ovario connatus) compresso-planus, alatus; *limbus* obliquus, parvus, paterseformis, integer. *Corolla* iifundibuliformis, Wcrne gibbosa, prope basin lateraliter calyci affixa; *limbus* 5-lobus, lobis subscqualibus rotundatis cretis. *Stamina* 3 inclusa, corolla versus medium tubi inserta; *fitamenta* subulata; *anthera* oblongre, dorso affixse. *Stylus* gracilis, filiformis, inclusus. *Stigma* obtusum. *Fructus*: *capsula* indehiscens (seu achenium) oblonga, insigniter compressa, alata, hinc plana longitudinaliter 3-lineata, altero latefe paululum convexa unilineata, abortu 1-locularis, 1-sperma; *semen* solitarium, ex apicc loculi susj)en- sum.—Prutex *Caracasanus*, *ramosus*, *pubescenti-hirsutus*, rarnis obtuse tetragonis. Folia qposita, sessilia, lato-lanceolata, oltusa, integerrima, subcoriacea, venosa, ramis costce fere parallelism foliis supremis majoribus multoque latioribus fere rotundatis bracteajfbrmibus in axillis floriferis. Flores capitati, bracteati, capitulo pedunculate, bracteis exterioribus ovalo-lanceolatis membranaceis, interioribus 2 linearibus parvis ad basin ovariu Porteria bractescens, *Hook.*

IIAB. Caraccas, South America, *Linden* (n. 424).

I name this new genus in memory of the late Sir llobcrt Ker Porter, long H. B. M. Consul-General at Curaccas, the native country of this plant, whence he was accustomed to send many rare plants and seeds of that fertile region to his native country. Few, on first inspection, would suspect this plant to be one of the *Valerianeæ*; its general appearance is rather that of some Onos-moid *Boragineæ*. Besides that the habit differs so strikingly from any known genus of its Natural Order, the essential characters are extremely well marked. The flowers are almost entirely concealed by the many imbricating bracteas, and the very leaves themselves, which include the inflorescence, are bracteiform. The ovary and fruit are remarkably flattened, by whiich compression, together with the elevated lines or ridges, they almost resemble those of an* Umbelliferous plant: the limb is a small, entire, or truncated, saucer-shaped membrane, inclined to one side, and the corolla is attached to its disc by one side of the base, the base itself forming a blunt spur or gibbosity. Stamens altogether included.—Our specimen is a foot and a half long, and appears to be only a portion of a much larger plant.

Fty. 1. Flower and bracteas. /. 2. Corolla laid open, showing the stamens and style. /. 3. Ovary, f 4. Transverse section of an ovary below the ovule. /. 3. Longitudinal section of ditto:—*magnified.*



TAB. PCCCLXV.

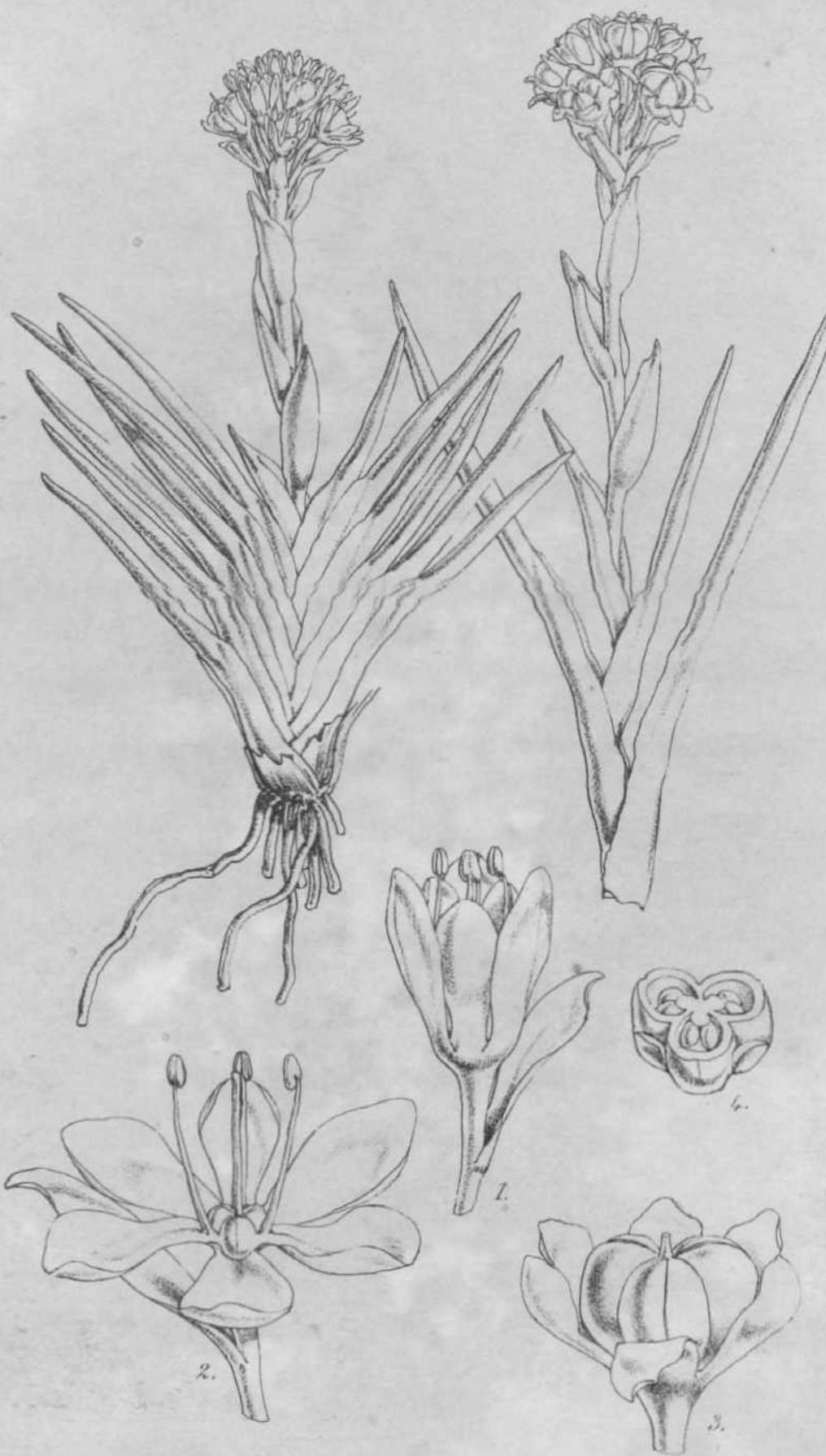
PIMELEA PHYSODES, *Hook.*

Foliis (in genere magnis) oppositis sessilibus ellipticis acutis imbricatis, capitulis terminalibus solitariis nutantibus foliis involucralibus amplissimis coloratis erectis imbricatis concavis tectis, perianthio pilosulo tubo medio constricto liinbi laciniis subulatis tubum sequantibus, staminibus longe exsertis longitudine styli, capituli receptaculo villoso-lanato.

HAB. Interior of Swan River Settlement, Western Australia,
Brummond (*n. 424, et Suppl n. 84*).

I find nothing like this described in Lehmann's 'Plante Preissianse' yet I have twice received specimens from the Swan River, through Mr. Drummond. It would appear to be a large shrub with very tough bark. Our largest specimens are but branches a foot and a half long. Many of the leaves are an inch and three-quarters long and three-quarters of an inch wide, sessile on a broad base, single-veined. But the most remarkable part of the plant is the involucre, more than two inches long, its highly coloured (yellow-red) scales or leaves very large, imbricated, concave, and completely concealing the head of flowers, till the perianth falls away, then many of the involucral scales are deciduous, and the cluster of little fruits nestled on the dilated and woolly apex of the short pendulous peduncle are partially exposed to view. The old peduncles and receptacles remain on the plant, and appear lateral from innovations, as shown in our figure.

Fig. 1. Flower. 2. Superior portion of the perianth above the constriction. 3. -Section of the fruit, or nut, together with its accompanying lower articulation of the perianth, f. 4. Section of the seed, fl 5. Embryo:—magnified.



Gunniana.

N. O. Hsemodoraceae.

TAB. DCCCLXVI.

HjSMODORUM DISTICHOPHYLLUM, *Hook.*

Humile glabram totum siccitate atro-sanguineam coriaceum sub-acaule, foliis exacte distichis arete equitantibus ensiformi-subulatis superne canaliculatis scapo brevioribus dimidio inferioro vttgiuuuubūs motribmiuuHJis, scupo b̄riuiUmtō, bmtittj̄s lougo vaginantibus inflatis, *corymbo* *solitario* capitatq, *pedicellis* bracteolatis, ovario trilobo supero.

HAB. Hare, on heathy hills, Macquorrie Harbour, Van Piemen's Land, R. Gunn, Esq. {n. 2055), Bee. 1846.

A very remarkable, *com]J)act4ookingirainodorum, veTy* unlike any hitherto described species of the genus, and the only one native of Van Diemen's Land. The plant is small, carnose, leathery when dry. Boot of a few coarse fibres. Leaves exactly distichous, with long sheathing bases. Scape much concealed by the large *ventricose* bracteas. *Flowers* in a capitate dense corymb, almost black when dry. Sepals obovate. Stamens 3, inserted at the base of the inner sepals. Style as long as the stamens; stigma entire. Sepals remaining with the superior fruit: this latter opens through the centre of each lobe.

Fig. 1. Flower. / 2. The same more expanded. /. 3. Fruit.
f. 4. Ovary cut tiirough transversely:—magnified.*



Dalzelliana.

N. O. Asclepiadere.

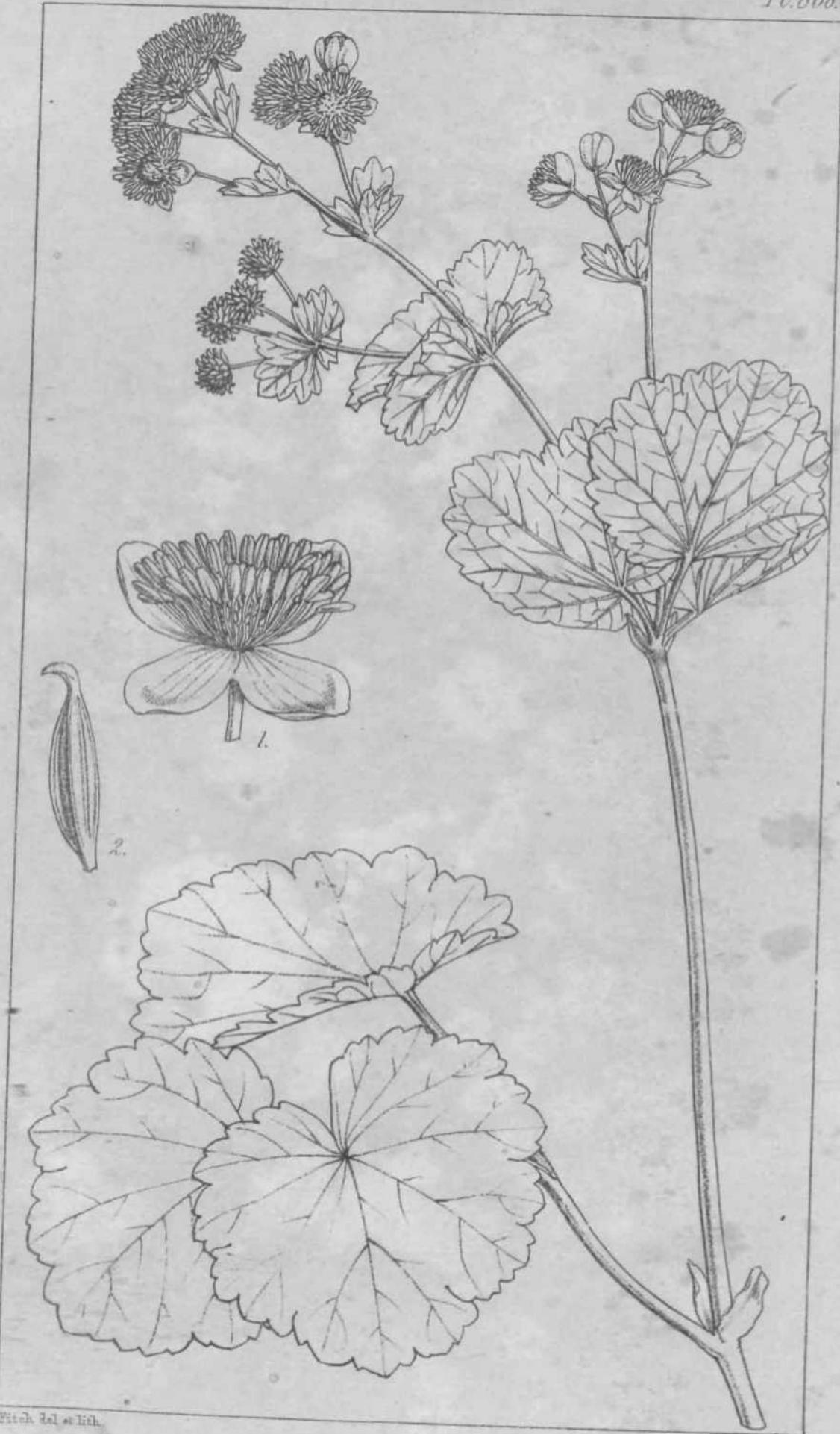
TAB. DCCCLXVII.

CEROPEQIA ATTENUATA, *Hook.*

Erecta? foliis linearibus longe gracileque attenuatis inferne angustatis junioribus pilosiusculis, pedunculo axillari solitario ex axillis foliorum supremorum unifloro, calycis lobis subulatis ciliatis patentibus, corolla? glaberrimse tubo longe basi inflato superne dilatato, limbi lobis tubi longitudine gracilibus filiformibus apice vix dilatatis conniventibus.

HAB. Bombay; the Ghauts near Vigorna, N. A. *Dalzell, Esq.*

This appears to have sufficient characters, in the very long, narrow, attenuated leaves, and the long and very slender segments of the limb of the corolla, combined with an erect (or apparently erect) habit, to be considered a distinct species. I have been unwilling to sacrifice the only flower I possess to the examination of the interior organs. Another apparently distinct species, though allied to this, is *C. angustifolia*, Dalz. MSS., from the same country. This has a similar erect habit, broader and shorter leaves, several flowers from the apex of the stem, with shorter segments to the corolla, which are very sensibly dilated upwards. Both have the young portion of the stem and young leaves minutely hairy.



TAB. DCCCLXVIII.

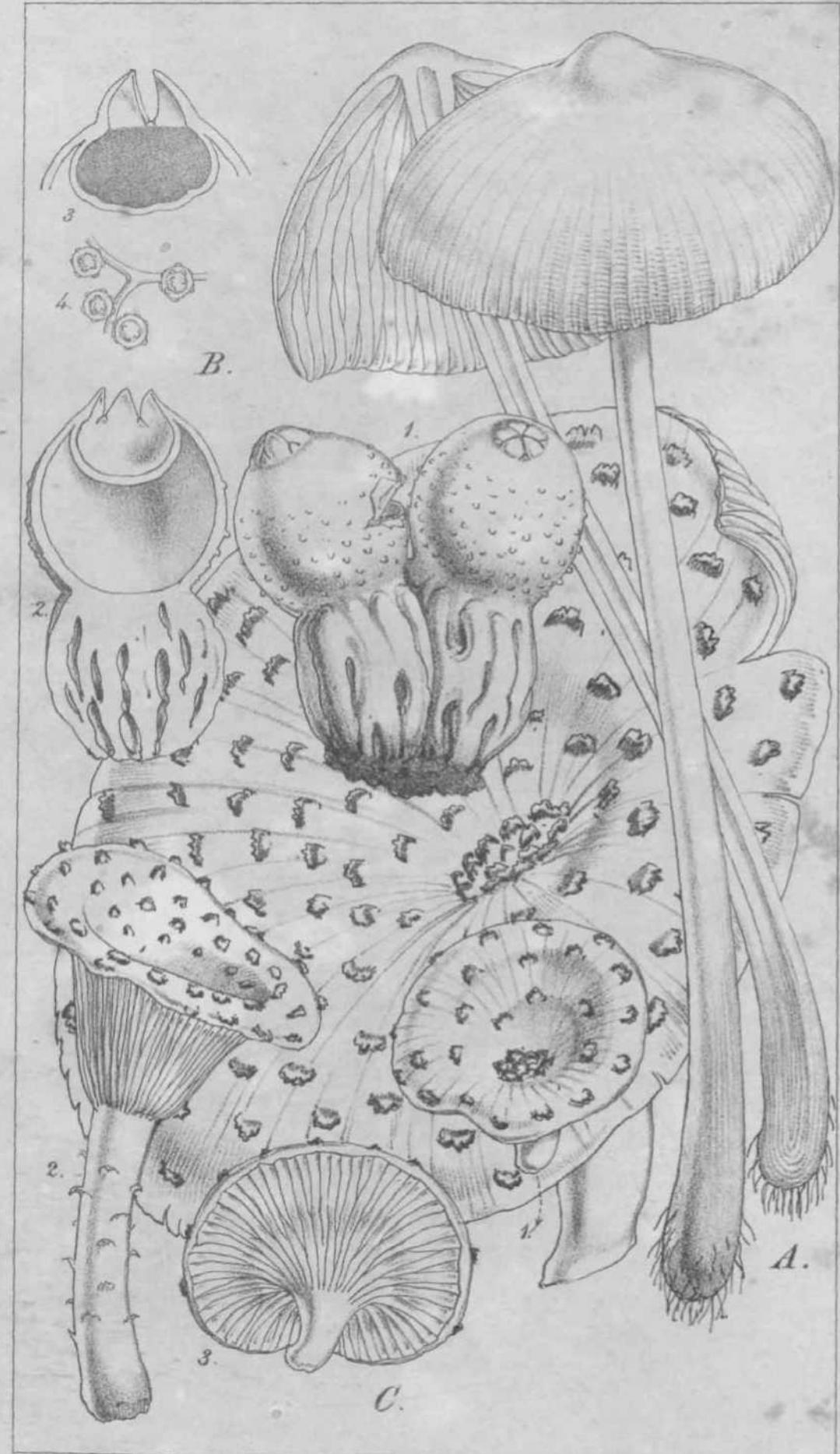
THALICTBUM DALZELLII, *Hook.*

Glabrum, foliis trifoliolatis (supremis subunifoliolatis), foliolis reniformi-rotundatis rigidis subtus pallidioribus elevato-reticulati in yenosis basi sinu profundo acuto margine lobatis lobis inaequaliter dentatis inferioribus petiolis petiolulisque elongatis, stipulis ovato-oblongis membranaceis, paniculose foliosae floribus subglomeratis hermaphroditis, sepalis 4 longitudine staminum, fructu (immature) oblongo sulcato bevi glabro stylo uncinato terminate.

HAB. Botnbay; the Ghauts near Vigorna, 2f. A. Dalzell, Esq.

With the exception of Dr. "Wallich's *Th. rotundifolium* of Nepal (a country far removed from the west coast of Bombay) this has the largest leaves or leaflets of any known *Thalictrum*; but *TA. rotundifolium* is described, and the original specimens in my Herbarium confirm the character, as having simple or undivided leaves. *Th. rujoestre*, Madden in Herb, nostr. (*T. sanguiforme*, DC.) from 6,500 to 7,000 feet of elevation in the mountains of Kamaoun, has nearly the same shaped leaves, but they are binate, on very long stalks, and are of a much more membranaceous character. *Th. Punduanum*, Wall. Cat. and in Herb, nostr. (n. 3712), has more cordate or olate leaves, with a shallow sinus at the base, or even entire and acute there, and also trinerved leaves, and rough or echinate fruit. I think the present is a truly distinct species, and is probably quite confined to the localities above specified. In drying it turns, of a pale green colour.

Fig. 1. Flower. /. 2. Immature fruit:—magnified.



TAB. DCCCLXIX.

A.

AGABICUS (Mycena) BROOMEIANUS, *Berk.*

Tener elatus, pileo ex hemisphero campanulato umbonato pli-
cato hie illic lineis transversis reticulato, stipite toito fibroso
fistuloso intus ad basin concentrice zonato, lamellis angustis
liberis.

Agaricus Broomeianus, *Berk*, in *Hook. Journ. BoL* v. 2. p. 77.

HAB. On dead wood; Darjeeling, Dr. J. D. Hooker.

A noble species/ allied to *A. pelianthinus*, but without any discoloured edge to the gills. The figures of this, and of the succeeding Sikkim Fungi, were made on the spot by Dr. Hooker, from living specimens.

Fig. A. Agaricus Broomeianus.

B.

MITREMYCES VIBIDIS, *Berk.*

Peridio amplo stipiteque lacunoso costato cartilagineo viridibus,
* squanris oris margine coccineo-granulatis, sporis globosis forti-
ter granulatis.

Mitremyces viridis, *Berk*, in *Hook. Journ. Bot.* v. 8.p. 201.

HAB.' On the ground and on dead timber; Tonglo and Sinchul,
Dr. J. D. Hooker:

Distinguished from *M. lutescens* i) its green colour, and glo-
bose rough spores.

Fig. B. Mitremyces viridis. f. 1. Plant;—natural size. f. 2.
Ditto divided vertically. /.*\$. Upper part of peridium :—slightly
magnified, f. 4. Flocci and spores:—highly magnified.

C.

AGARICUS (Fleiirotus) VERRJCARIUS, *Berk.*

Pileo excentrico umbilicato depresso gilvo tenui subfragili huinido
verrucis exasperate, stipite solido firmo glabro, lamellis pallide
ochraceis latiusculis decurrentibus.

Agaricus verrucarius, *Berk*, in *Hook. Journ. Bot.* v. 2.p. 82.

HAB. On dead wood; Darjeeling, Dr. J. D. Hooker.

Approaching the genera *Panus* and *Lentinus*, but the pileus is
fleshy, and by no means tough or coriaceous. The stem is some-
times rough with processes projecting from the surface and torn
backwards, but not truly scaly.

• *Fig. C. Agaricus verrucarius.* f. 1 and S. Two views of a
small specimen, f. 2. Specimen in which the stem appears scaly
from the fracture of its external coat.



TAB. DOCCLXX., DCCCLXXI.

A.

BOLETUS EHODENSIS, *Berk.*

Pileo primitus ovato-globoso volva universali demum deorsum circumscissa et apicem stipitis vaginante obtecto, seniore expanso hemispherico dense squamoso-tomentoso ruberrimo, margine excedente appendiculato, stipite elongato flexuoso sequali e mycelio spongioso enato, poris flavi's amplis liberis, came leviter cserulescente.

Boletus Emodensis, Berk, in Hook. Jburn. Bot. 1851. p. 48.

HAB. On the ground; Darjeeling, 7,500 feet. July and August.

Decidedly the most magnificent species of the genus, remarkable for its volva/splendid colouring, and spongy mycelium.

Fig. 1,1. Boletus Mnodensis:—natural size. f. 2, 3. Vertical sections.

B.

AOABICUS TRPLICATUS, *HooLfiL*

Pileo campanulato ab umbone lsBvi profunde sulcato nitido sicco, margine tenui involuto, stipite elato squarruloso solido, lamellis paucis distantibus remotis.

Agaricus triplicatus, Hook:fit. in Hook. Jburn. Bot. 1850.JP. 50.

This beautiful Agaric, together with several other Sikkim-Himalaya species, is allied to *A. radicatus*, combining, however, in some measure, the characters of *Marasmius* with the habit of *Heliomyces*.

Fig. 1. Upper part of Agaricus triplicatus:—natural size, f. 2. Vertical section of ditto.



Ilookeriana.

N. O. Fungi.

TAB. DCCCLXXIL

A.

STKOBILOMYCES MONTOSUS, *Berk.*

Pileo verrucis paucis floccosis pyramidatis montoso nigro-fusco, interstitiis amethystinis, stipite concolore squamoso, poris subadnatis fiscis, ore luteo.

Strobilomyces montoſus, *Berk*, in *Hook. Journ. Bot.* 1851. p. 78.
HAB. On dead wood and on the ground; Sikkim-Himalaya,
7,500 feet. September.

This and another magnificent species are the representatives of *Boletus Strobilaceus* in the Sikkim Alps. The large warts, with the amethyst-coloured interstices, make it a very striking fungus.

Fig. 1. Young plant :-*natural size. f. 2. Section of full-grown specimen.

B.

HYPOCKEA OBOSSA, *Berk.*

Keceptaculo erecto crasso sursum breviter diviso miniato opaco, lobis obtusis, intus pallide stramineo, contextu lento radiato, perithcciis irregularibus confluentibus.

Hypocrea grossa, *Berk*, in *Hook. Journ. Bot.* 1851. p. 306.
HAB. On rotten wood; Darjeeling, 7-8,000 feet. July. Very rare.

A very fine addition to the genus *Hypocrea*, now separated from *SpAaria*. It may possibly have been previously overlooked, from its resemblance to young specimens of *Polyporus Itcidus*.

Fig. 1. Two plants of *H. grossa*:—natural size. f. 2. A plant divided vertically.



Purdieana.

N. 0. Gesneriacea*.

TAB. DOOCLXXIII.

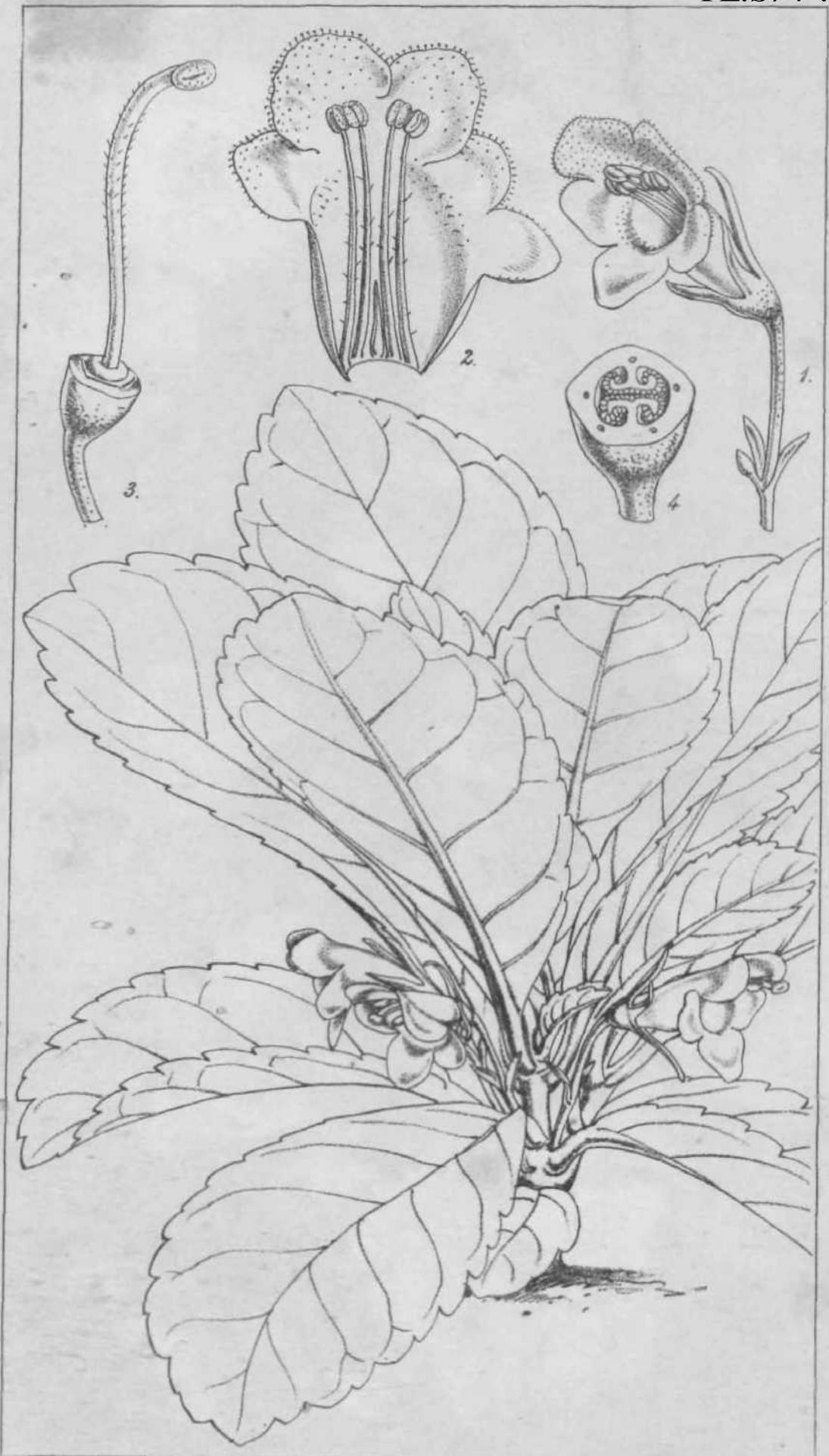
CENTROSOLENIA GLABRA, *Hook.*

Prostrata repens epiphyta tota glabra, foliis oppositis aequalibus sublonge petiolatis obovato-lanceolatis acuminatis carnosis integerrimis vel superne serratis, pedunculis axillaribus solitariis ebiacteatis petiolutn superantibus unifloris, calyce profunde 5-partito laciniis lineari-lanceolatis, corollae (albse) tubo infundibuliformi deorsum in calcar inflatum obtusum terminante limbo patente subsequali 5-lobo lobis rotundatis subundulatis integrerrimis, glandula hypogyna magna solitaria.

HAB. West Indies; Trinidad, on trees, *Mr. W. Purdie.*

This was sent, a living plant, from Trinidad by Mr. Purdie, and flowered in the stove of the Soyal Gardens in February 1848. It seems to me to have all the essential characters of Mr. Bentham's *Centrosolenia*, and sufficiently of the habit of the species we are already acquainted with. All are natives of tropical America. The projecting, obtuse, inflated spur at the base of the corolla occasions the inferior lobe of the calyx to be bent down or back, whilst all the other segments are erect. Here the hypogynous gland is solitary and very large: in the two *Centrosolenia* figured in the Bot. Mag. tab. 4552 and 4611, there are two opposite glands at the base of the germen.

Fig. 1. Flower. /. 2.' Stamens and spur of the corolla. /. 3. Pistil, f. 4. Section of ovary and of the hypogynous gland:—magnified.



Purdiearue.

N. O. Gesneriacese.

TAB. DCCCLXXIV.

CONBADIA NEGLECTA, *Hook.*

Subacaulis, foliis obovato-oblongis sublanceolatisve acutis grosse imsequaliter serratis glabris basi in petiolum brevem sub lento transverse scabrum resinoso-furfuraceum, costa dorso similiter scabra furfuracea que, pedunculis axillaribus subaggregatis bi-bracteolatis unifloris folio multoties brevioribus, calycis segmentis subulatis corollas tubum sequantibus, corollse oblique campanulatse lobis insequalibus subrotundatis glanduloso-pilosis.

HAB. Bocks, Gave Valley, St. Anne's and Clarendon, Jamaica,
Mr. W. Purdie.

Abundant in the above localities, and perhaps elsewhere in Jamaica, yet the species never appears to have been taken up by any author. The drawing is made from a cultivated specimen in the stove of file Royal Gardens, raised from seeds sent home by Mr. Purdie. The young leaves are very resinous, and the petioles and costa at the back of the leaf, when seen under the microscope, are found to be marked with transverse rugosities or elevations, and more or less clothed with a resinous substance which breaks off in scales. This plant belongs, I presume, to the true *Conradia*, not to the first division or groupe in De Candolle, which constitutes the genus *Pentaraphia* of Dr. Lindley; but the distinguishing characters of which I by no means understand.

Fig. 1. Mower. /. 2. Pistil. /. 3. Corolla laid open. /. 4. Ovary cut through transversely |—magnified.



Hookeriana.

N. O. *Scrophulariacere.*

TAB. DCOCLXXV.

LINDENBERGIA URTIOEFOLIA, *Lekm.*

Annoa erecta vel adscendens villosa, foliis longe petiolatis ovatis floralibus conformibus, floribus solitariis axillaribus, corolla calyce vix triplo longiore ovarioque ? glabris. *Benth.*

L. urticeefolia, *Lehm.* in *Link et Otto Abbild.* t. 48. *Benth.* in *De Cand. Prodr.* v. 10. p. 377.

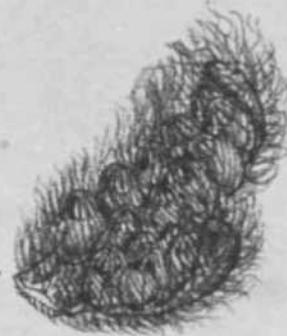
Stemodia ruderalis, *Vahl*, *Symb.* 69. *Roxb. Fl. Ind.* v. 3. p. 94.

A weed-like plant in its steins and foliage; but the flower, though small, and resembling a *Idnaria* in shape, is very handsome when recent and seen slightly magnified. The calyx is clothed with long and slender glandular hair : the corolla is rich yellow, the tube tinged with red, and a deep red spot is seen just within the nearly-closed faux. Mr. Bentham describes the ovary as glabrous; in our plant it is quite silky. The species is native of India, where it seems to be of common occurrence. Seeds were sent by Dr. Hooker to the Royal Gardens, and from the living plant our figure is made. It wants colour to do justice to the flower.

Fig. 1. Flower, *f.* 2. Corolla laid open. */. 3.* Upper portion of the stamen showing the separated anther-cells. *'f** 4. Pistil :—*magnified.*



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Gardneriana.

N. O. Filiccs.

TAB. DCCCLXXV1.

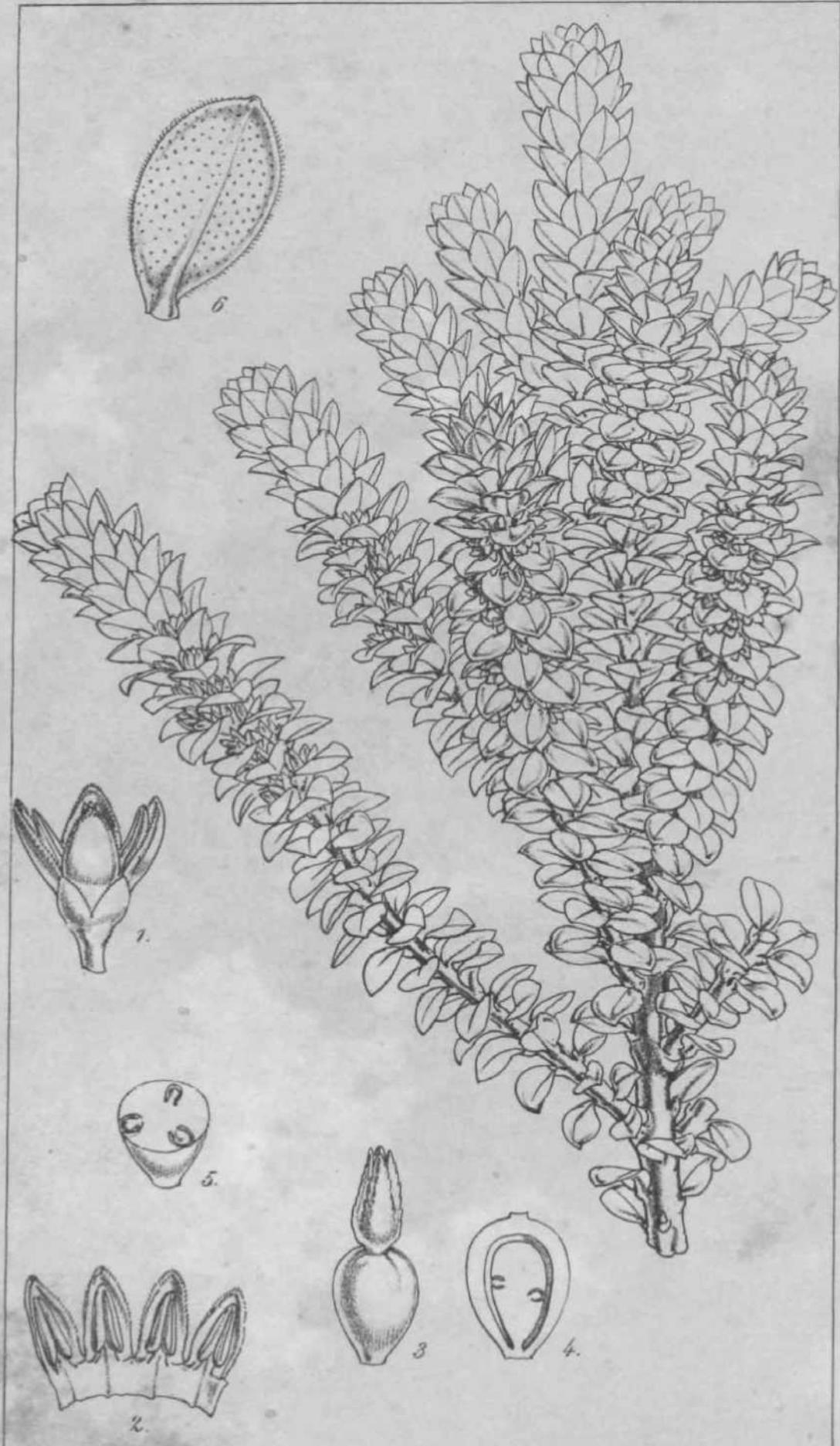
ANEMIA TBICHORHIZA.

Caudice subrcpente crasso pilis longis rufis pulcherrime articulatis crinito, frondibus *sterilibus* anguste ovatis pinnatis densissime ferrugineo-lanatis supra demum glabratis coriaceis pinnis pinnatifidis laciniis rotundatis, *fertilibus* lanceolatis bipinnatifidis totis ferrugineo-lauatis brevi-stipitatis patentim divergentibus, stipitibus universalibus fronde brevioribus lanatis.

HAB. Dry rocks, summit of Sierra de Natividade, Brazil. Feb. 1841. O. Gardner (n. 4080).

A very distinct species of *Anemia*, remarkable for the very long, rich, chestnut-brown, jointed hairs at the origin of the stipites, and no Ie3s for the very woolly character of the whole fronds when young, and for the two sterile fronds not rising erect and approximating, as it were, as in other *Anemia*, but divaricating so as to stand nearly on the same plane with the sterile frond: in this respect showing a near affinity with *Trochopteri**, Gardner; but there the sterile and fertile fronds are united into one, not stipitate, but constituting lobes of the same frond. In *Trochopterisy* too, the habit is very peculiar.

Fig. 1. Portion of a fertile frond with capsules. *i. 2.* Capsule: —*magnified*.



Jamesoniana,

N. O. Myrsinaceæ.

TAB. DCCCLXXVII.

MYRSINE MYRTOIDES, *Hook.*

Bamis numerosis compactis, foliis copiosis brevissime petiolatis obovato-ellipticis coriaceis glabris recurvato-patentibus acutis ciliatis supra nitidissimis nudis subtus resinoso-punctatis, floribus axillaribus subsessilibus glomeratis tetrapteris, staminibus inclusis, corollæ lobis oblongis.

IIAB.. Volcano of Pasto, New Grenada, elev. 12,000 feet, *Prof. Jameson.* Mountains of Caraccas, *Linden* (*n.* 958).

This plant has so much the habit of some of the *Myrtaceæ*, that, till the flowers are inspected, it might very well be taken for a *Myrtus* or an *Eugenia*. The flowers and immature fruit, however, clearly prove it to be a *Myrsine*: and its nearest affinity, though it be abundantly distinct, is with *M. dependens*, Sprengel and De Candolle (*M. ciliata*, H.B.K.). The latter species has obovate, retuse leaves, wrinkled on the surface when dry, and the branchlets are clothed with ferruginous down. The present species I have only received from Professor Jameson and Mr. Linden.

Fig. 1. Leaf. */. 2.* Flower. */. 8.* Corolla laid open. */. 4.* Pistil, *f.* *5.* Vertical section of the ovary, with ovules sunk in the placenta, *f.* *6.* Transverse section of the placenta:—*magnified.*



N. O. Salicaceae.

TAB. DCCCLXXVIII.

POFULUS TBICHOCARPA, *Torr. et Gray.*

Foliis sublonge petiolatis cordato-triangularibus serratis glabris
subtus pallidis minute reticulatim venosis, amenti foeminei
squamis laciniatis villosis, ovariis globosis dense tomentosis,
stigmatibus insigniter basi lobato-dilatatis.

Populus trichocarpa, Torr. et Gray, MS.

HAB. Santa Clara River, near Beneventauo, California,—•?

The specimen here figured was kindly communicated to me by
Messrs. Torrey and Gray, as a recent discovery in California;
but I am unacquainted with the name of the discoverer, and* I am
ignorant whether or not it has yet been published in America.

Mg, 1. Portion of an amentum, with perianth and female flower,
subtended by the scale. /. 2. Scale separated:—*magnified.*



BidwiMana.

N. O. Myrtacece.

TAB. DCOCLXXIX.

EUCALYPTUS POPULIFOLIA, *Hoot'.*

Eamis gracilibus teretibus, foliis longe petiolatis subrhomboidalibus obtusissimis basi subcuneatis tenue penninerviis nervis obliquis approximatis margine paulum incrassatis, pedunculis axillaribus solitariis vel foliis delapsis subpaniculatis subquinqueflorisj fructu (vix maturo) turbinato lsevi, pedicellis teretibus.

**HAB. Wide Bay district, North-eastern Australia, Mr. Bidwill
{n. 76).**

The lid or operculum of the calyx I have not seen :—but the leaves alone will readily distinguish this species from any with which we have been hitherto acquainted.

Fig. 1. Fruit:—magnified.



Bidwilliana.

N. O. Loranthaceee.

TAB. DCCCLXXX.

LORANTHUS LONGIFOLIUS, *Hook.*

Bamis teretibus, foliis linear-ensiformibus (pedalibus) coriaceis
glabris subtri-quinquenerviis obtuse acuminatis basi in pe-
tiolum attenuatis, umbellis candelabrumformibus pedunculatis
axillaribus, foliis inultoties brevioribus, floribus pentandris,
ovario (cum calyce) obconico, petalis apice spathulatis, stami-
nibus longitudine pectoralium stylum subsequantibus.

HAB. On trees, Wide Bay district, North-eastern Australia, *Mr.
Bidwill*

This is probably pendent from the branches of trees on which it is an epiphyte: assuredly the leaves, often more than a foot long, are drooping. The umbel or cymes are quite candelabrumform, and the upper side at the apex of each pedicel is hollowed out into a cup or socket, as it were to* receive the flower. It is, perhaps, the most striking species of this very extensive genus.

Fig. 1. Flower :—magnified.



Ounniana.

N. O. Cupuliferie.

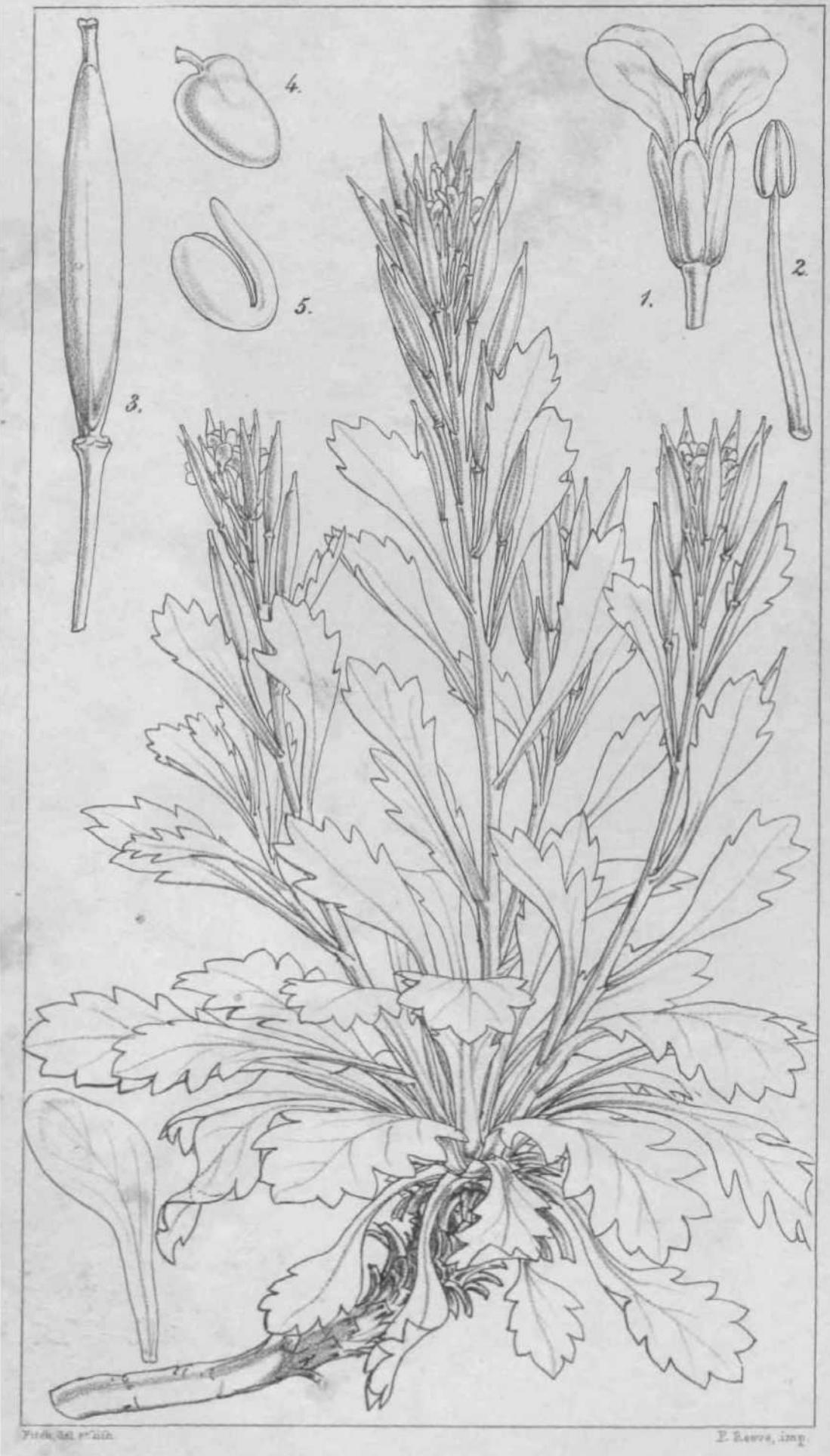
TAB. DOCCLXXXI.

FAGUS GUNNII, *Hook. fil*

Fruticosa suberecta v. prostrata, ramis rigidis tortuosis intertextis, ramulis foliisque subtus scapus nervos pilosis, foliis deciduis plicatis brevissime petiolatis late ovato-rotundatis basi subobliquis obtusis emarginatis crenato-serratis, petiolis stipulis subulatis basi gibboso-inflatis suffultis, cupulis involucriformibus profunde 4-partitis laciniis subsequalibus linearibus integris dorso simplici serie lamellatis, lamellis insequaliter sinuato-crenatis, nucibus glaberrimis orbiculari-oblongis late alatis.
HAB. Summit of Mount Olympus; Van Diemen's Land; alt. 4500-5000 feet, *R. Gunn, Esq.*

A most interesting deciduous-leaved Beech, bearing an extraordinary resemblance to *F. antarctica* of Fuegia, and differing mainly in the curious stipules (fig. 4), simply coarsely crenate leaves, and the less fimbriate lamellae of the cups. The only other Tasmanian species, *F. Cunninghamii*, Hook. (Lond. Journ. Bot. vol. ii. p. 152. f. 7) has coriaceous persistent foliage. In Fuegia, New Zealand, and Tasmania, there are two divisions of *Fagus*, one with deciduous, the other with persistent leaves: the species of each division bear a very strong resemblance to Kœnig another in all the localities. Mr. Gunn says that the present shrub forms a dense almost impenetrable scrub below the basaltic columns which crown Mount Olympus. The individual plants are 5-8 feet high, with branches so twisted and bent in all directions by the weight of the winter's snow, that it is not easy to force one's way through. Mr. Joseph Milligan has found a *Fagus*, probably the same, on the top of a mountain near Macquarie Harbour. /. D. H.

*Fig. 1. Stipule, with its inflated base. /. 2, 8. Cupules.
. 4, 5. Nuts:—all magnified.*



Gnniana.

N. O. Crucifere.

TAB. DCCGLXXXI1.

CARDAMINE RADICATA, *Hooi.fl.*

Glaberrima foliosa, rhizomate crasso valde elongate diviso, foliis radicalibus perplurimis petiolatis coriaceis obovato-spatiulatis obtusis grosse lobato-serratis caulinis brevius petiolatis, caulis floriferis erectis foliis vix longioribus fructiferis subelongatis foliosis, floribus parvis albis, sepalis linear-oblongis obtusis, petalis spathulatis, siliquis erectis strictis pedicellatis anguste elliptico-lahceolatis stylo breviusculo tenninatis, valvis membranaceis planis subnerviis, seminibus obovatis compressis impunctatis.

H A B. Summit of Mount Olympus, Van Diemen's Land; alt. 5000 feet, *R. Gunn, Esq.*

Mr. Gunn says of this curious species, "A number of procumbent brittle branches spring from one root, and have no leaves except at the extremities. A large bed of snow lay at Midsummer in a hollow close to the plants which are found between the basaltic columns that crown the mountain." As a species, this is most distinct: it rather resembles an *Arabis* than a *Cardamine* in habit, but its pod is that of the latter genus. The procumbent rhizomata are as thick as the little finger, and 6-8 inches long.

J.D.H.

*Eg. 1.. Hower. /. 2. Petal. /. 3. Stamen. /. 4. Siliqua.
/. 5. Seed. /. 6. Embryo:—all magnified.*



Lowiana.

. N. O. Ericere.

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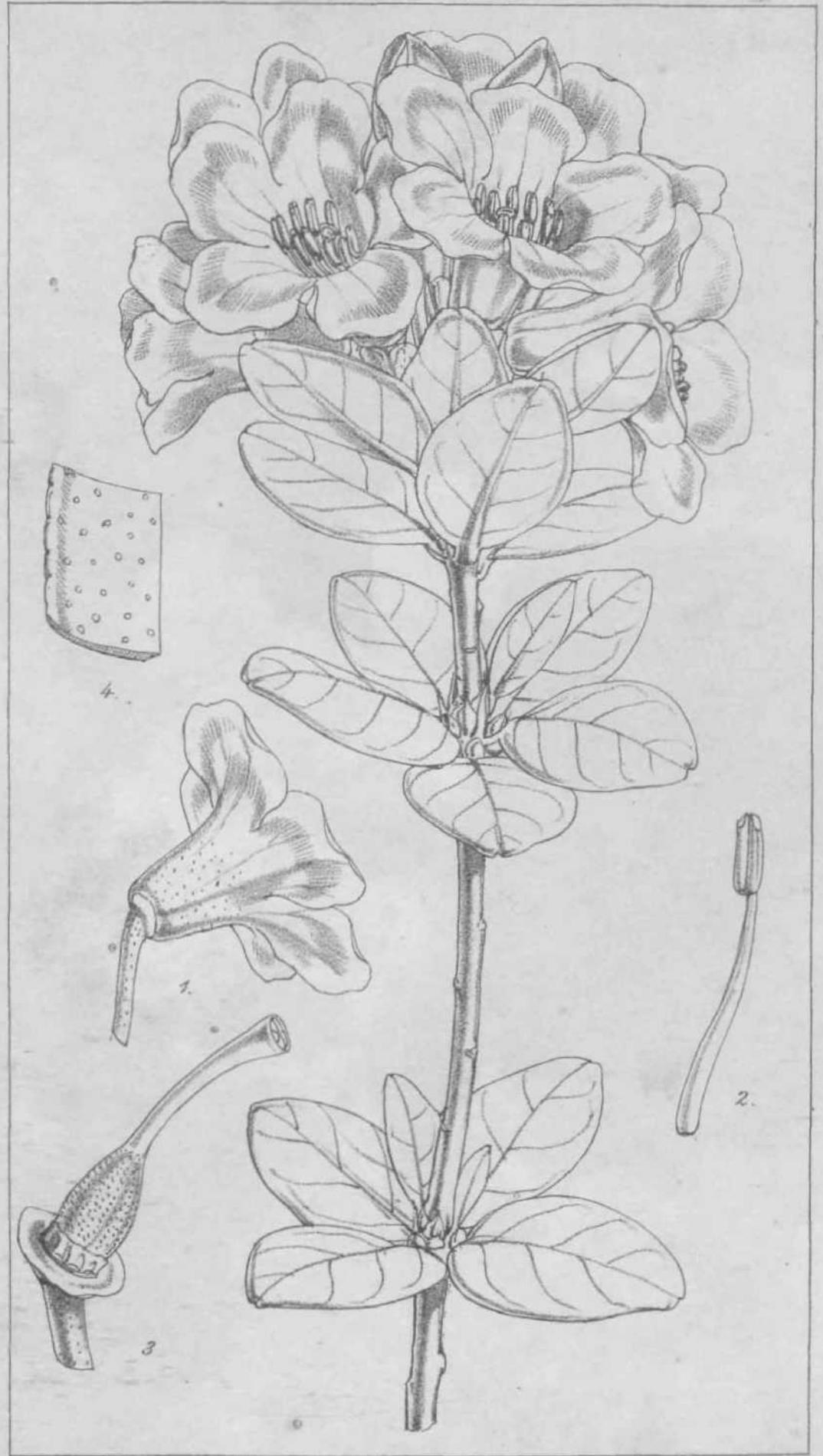
RHODODENDRON LOWII, *Hook.JiL*

Frutescens v. subarboreum, totum glaberrimura, foliis amplis coriaceis planis breve et crasse petiolatis obovatis subacutis infra medium angustatis subpanduriformibus ima basi truncatis cordatisve, nervo medio lato crasso, capitulis terminalibus multifloris, bracteis linear-i-elongatis membranaceis, pedunculis validis uncialibus, calyce obsolete corollas flavse tubo subelongato cylindraceo superne campanulato lobis 5 rotundatis retusis patentibus, staminibus 10 inclusis, ovario puberulo 5-loculari.

HAB. Borneo; Kini Balu, alt. 8000 feet, *H. Low, Esq.*

Mr. Low's discovery of thirteen species of *Rhododendron*, during an ascent of only 8000 feet on a mountain that rises to 14,000, is a most remarkable and interesting fact to the botanist and horticulturist. > Till within a very few years this genus had been thought almost peculiar to temperate and cold climates, an error first disproved by Mr. Low, and exposed by Dr. Lindley in the Hort. Soc. Journal, vol. iii. p. 82, where Bornean species are figured from under the equator itself, and growing at the level of the sea. To this essay I refer for some excellent remarks on the climate, etc., of the regions which the Bornean species of low elevations inhabit. 22. *Lowii* resembles the *R. Brookeanum*, Low, there represented; but the* leaves are differently shaped, being obovate, much larger, nearly a span long, and having a very peculiar broad nerve, like some species of *Loranthem*: the lobes of the corolla, too, are much shorter and broader, not revolute, and nearly as long as the tube, as in *R. Brookeanum*. Mr. Low describes this as a magnificent shrub, 15-20 feet high. *J. D. H.*

Fig. 1. Stamen. /. 2. Ovariuin. /. 3. Transverse section of the same:—all magnified.



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N. O. Ericeee.

TAB. DCOCLXXXIV.

RHODODENDRON VERTICILLATUM, *LOW.*

Glaberrimum v. ramulis junioribus costaque folii puberulis, ramis robustis, foliis subverticillatis breve et crasse petiolatis valde coriaceis late obovato-oblongis obovatisve obtusis basi cordatis marginibus planis recurvisve utrinque creberrime punctulatis, capitulis laxe 6-8-floris, pedunculis squamulosis flore sequilongis, calyce discoideo integro, corolla campanulata tubo brevi limbi lobis 5 rotundatis, staminibus 10, ovario squamuoso • 5-loculari.

R. verticillatum. *Low in Hort. Soc. Journal, v. 3. p. 86, and fig. p. 87.*

HAB. Borneo; mountainous regions, alt. 4000-8000 feet, *II. Low, Esq.*

I cannot distinguish Mr. Low's Kini Balu specimens gathered at 8000 feet, from those figured in the Hort. Soc. Journal, except that the latter have larger leaves and smaller flowers. Mr. Low calls some of his specimens *B. verticillatum?* and others *R. intermedium*, considering the latter as possibly a variety of *R. buxifolium*, a much smaller-foliaged plant, still with toothed calyx-lobes. The leaves of *R[^] verticillatum* vary both in size and shape, being oblong, obovate, or sometimes almost obcordate, with an emarginate apex, and occasionally a mucro. It resembles a good deal the *72. retusum*, Br. and Bennet; but the leaves are never so regularly retuse, and the flowers are very different. *J.D.H.*

Fig. 1. "Flower, f. 2. Stamen. /. 3. Ovarium. /. 4. Margin of a leaf:—all but fig. 1 magnified.



Latvians.

N. O. Ericese.

TAB. DCCCLXXXV.

RHODODENDRON RUGOSIJM, LOW.

Fruticosum, ramis robustis ramulis petiolis pedunculis foliis junioribus utrinque et senioribus subter tomento furfuracco squamuoso dense obsitis, foliis crasse petiolatis valde coriaceis ovatis v. oblongo-ovatis acutis obtusisve rugosis nervis superne profunde impressis subtus prominentibus, capitulis laxe 8-12-floris, floribus inter minoribus pendulis, pedunculis gracilibus flore subnutantc sequilongis longioribusve, calyce parvo discoideo obsolete lobato, corolla crenulata, tubo cylindraceo extus puberulo, lobis 5 rotundatis retusis patulis, staminibus 10, ovario pubescente 5-locularj.

K. rugosum, Low, MS*.

HAB. Borneo; on Kini Balu, alt. 7000-8000 feet, H. Low, %.

In the foliage this resembles closely the *Rhododendron Edgeworthii* of the Himalaya mountains; but the tomentum which clothes the under surface of the leaves especially is of quite a different nature, being here formed of pedicellate discoid fimbriated scales, similar except in being pedicellate to what are frequent in the genus. The flowers have no calyx, and in this important character also differ from *H. Edgemorthii*. Mr. Low describes the corolla as rose-purple, and the plant as forming a shrub 5-8 feet high. J.D.H.

Eg. 1. Stamen. /. 2. Ovarium. /. 8. Transverse section of the same. / 4, 5. Pedicellate scales |—all magnified.



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N. O. Ericeae.

TAB. DCCCLXXXVL

RHODODENDRON ACUMINATUM, *HooJcfil.*

Fruticosum totuin lepidoto-squamosum, ramis robustis, petiolis crassis, foliis elliptico-ovatis longe acuminatis marginibus recurvis basi rotundatis v. breviter cordatis crassis et rigidis rugosis supreme squamatis glabratissive buUatis nervis profunde impressis subtus dense lepidotis costa venisque crassis prominentibus, .capitulis laxe 10-15-floris, floribus paucis pendulis, calyce brevi discoideo, corollse tubo cylindrico lepidoto limbi lobis 5 rotundatis brevibus, staminibus 10, ovario dense lepidoto 5-loculari.

MAB. Borneo; on Kini Balu, alt. 6000-8000 feet, *H.Low,Esq.*

Very similar to *B. rugosum* in general appearance, habit, and especially in foliage; but the flowers are much smaller, with a longer cylindrical tube and shorter lobes; and the tomentum of the *R. rugoBum* is here replaced by densely packed appressed scales, which fall off the upper surface of the older leaves. Mr. Low remarks that it forms a shrub 4-10 feet high, with scarlet pendulous flowers. The leaf-buds are covered with almost woody imbricating scales, which are lepidote where exposed to the atmosphere: they are also clothed with a silky down in a young state. *J.&H.*

Fig. 1. Stamen. /. 2. Ovarium. f. 3. Transverse section of the same. f. 4, 5. Scales:—all magnified. •



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N. O. Ericese.

TAB. DCCCLXXXVTI.

RHODODENDRON ERICOIDES. *LOW.*

. Fruticulus glaberrimus erectus virgatus, ramis fastigiatis superne foliosis inferne cicatricatis verrucosis, foliis parvis ericoideis suberectis imbricatis anguste linear-lanceolatis obtusis obscure crenatis crassis et coriaceis glanduloso-punctatis in petiolum brevem crassum cum caule articulatum angustatis, floribus nubantibus terminalibus solitariis v. binis, pedunculis folio sequi-longis calycibus corollaque glandulosis, calyce 5-partito lobis erectis linearibus obtusis corollse tubo cylindraceo multoties brevioribus, corollæ lobis 5 brevibus rotundatis eroso-ciliatis, staminibus 10, ovario lepidoto 5-loculari. *J. D. H.*

HAB. Borneo; Kini Balu, at an elevation of 8000 feet and upwards, *H. Low; Esq.*

The most remarkable species of the genus I have ever seen, and quite unlike any hitherto described. Mr. Low's manuscript name of *ericoides* conveys a very good idea of its general character; he describes it as a shrub which varies from two to eight feet high, according to exposure. The flowers appear from dried specimens to be scarlet. *J. D. H.*

*Fig. 1. Flowers. /. &. Stamen, f: 3. Calyx and ovary.
f. 4, 5. Leaves:—all magnified.*



Lowiana..

N. O. Nepenthaceae.

TAB. DCCCLXXXVni.

NEPENTHES *vmjoajL, Hoo&.fil.*

Foliis junioribus subtus pedunculis petiolis racemisque pilis patentibus (siccate rufis) dense villosis, folii lamina (petiolo dilatato) linearis-oblonga gibrata juniore margine villoso, cirrho elongato valido dense villoso, pedonculo elongate, racemo multifloro foemineo breviusculo masculo elongato, perianthii foliolis linearis-oblongis obtusis intus glandulosis dorso villosis, antheris 10—12, ovario late oblongo velutino, stigmatibus sessilibus.

HAB. Borneo; Kini Balu, alt. 7000-8000 feet, *H. Law, Esq.*

In his ascent of Kini Balu, Mr. Low procured several magnificent species of *Nepenthes*, of which, however, he was able to preserve only one, -the subject of the present plate, which differs from any previously described, in its densely villous inflorescence, young leaves and cirri. The specimens have unfortunately no pitchers, which renders it doubtful whether they are identical with a superb species gathered on the same occasion, the pitchers of which hold a pint of fluid.*- This plant grows amongst grass and granite rocks. *J. IK H.*

Fig; 1. female flower |-magnified.



Jjowiana.

N. O. Taxaceee.

TAB. DUCULXXXIX.

PHYLLOCLADUS HYPOPHYLLA, *Hooch.Ji*

Arbor erecta, foliis (phyllodiis) petiolatis anguste ovatis rhombeo-ovatisve basi oblique cuncatis crenato-lobatis lobis oblongis obtusis crenulatis subitus glaucis superioribus floriferis obovato-cuneatis profunde emarginatis bilobisve lobis lobulatis, floribus foemineis in sinu phyllodiorum supremorum sessilibus rarius in ramulis terminalibus, spiculis brevissimis 2-3-floris.

HAB. Borneo; Kini Balu, alt. 8000 feet and upwards, *H.Low, Esq.*

The *Rhododendrons* of Kini Balu and the coasts of Borneo demonstrate in a remarkable manner the prevalence of northern forms of plants in that island; but the present, genus is one instance of its equally possessing plants that have hitherto been considered to be eminently typical of a rather high southern latitude. Two species of *thyllocladus* alone were previously known, a Tasmanian and a New Zealand one (though I believe we have two species from the latter island), but the genus was not known to exist north of the parallel of 86° until Mr. Low detected the present species, which, like its congeners, never attains a great size, but forms a small tree 10-30 feet high. Thus to find the shrubby and arborescent genera of the opposite temperate zones meeting on a mountain within a few degrees of the equator, is a most interesting discovery.

The very general tendency, but not constant'habit, in this species, of producing its flower and fruit in the notch of one of ,the apparent leaves, demonstrates the latter to be made up of mafly true leaves, which are normally distichous, as in its ally the Yew, and are united together by their margins. *J. D. H.*

Fig. 1. Flower-bearing phyllodium. /. 2. Young ovule:—magnified.



TAB. DCOCXC.

EHOBODSD DKON BUXIFOLU^{IM}, *Low.*

Prutex erectus glabriinus plus minusve lepidotus, ramis robust i-foliosis, foliis (parvis) plurunis sparsis (non verticillatis) crasse ptiolitis obJongis eiliptico-ovatisve obtusis **subenervna** bad rotuudatis v. obscure conlatis costa crassa marginibus obsolete crenul^tis snperne impresso-puuctatis subtus squarauosis crassis coriaccisque, capitulis laxe 8-12-floris, pedunculis folio brevioribus, calyce parvo discoideo obscnre 5-lobo v. lobis 1-3 in denies subulatos product is, corolla carapanulata **extaa** Icpidota lobis tubo brevioribus rotundatis patulis, staminibus 10, ovario lepidoto 5-loculari.

UAB. Borneo; Kinilialn, alt.8000 feet and upwards, *TI.Low^Esq.*

When we first received *Rhododendron^* from Borneo, we regarded the island whence *the?* came aa partaking, in respect of this genus, of the characteristics of a north temperate zone; but now that species not only multiply in extraordinary profusion, but are found to frequent all elevations and all localities from the sea-coast inland, ivc are bound to reverse this, and consider that: the Malay Arehipelago is the head-quarters of the genus, and all other species are outlying ones. Of the vegetation of Borneo we know just nothing at all; not fifty species of plants have been sent home from it, and yet twelve or fourteen of these are *TthododetfrpM!* a genus whose name we associate with hardy evergreens. The preseal species approaches *R. vertieillatum*, Low, very closely indeed, but Mr. Low considers it distinct, and his MS. name ia retailed here. It differs in the smaller, leaa obovate, atnl Ijngcr petioled leaves, and larger flowers and calyx, which, like that of the J limalayan *U. cinnabariimn*, is sometimes a simple disc, but at others has this organ lobed, and one or more of these lobes produced into a sharp tooth. /. D. H.

*Fig. 1. Stamen. /. 2. Ovarium. /. 3. Portion of a leaf:—
all magnified.*



Lowiana.

N. O. Vaccinierc.

TAB. DCCCXCI.

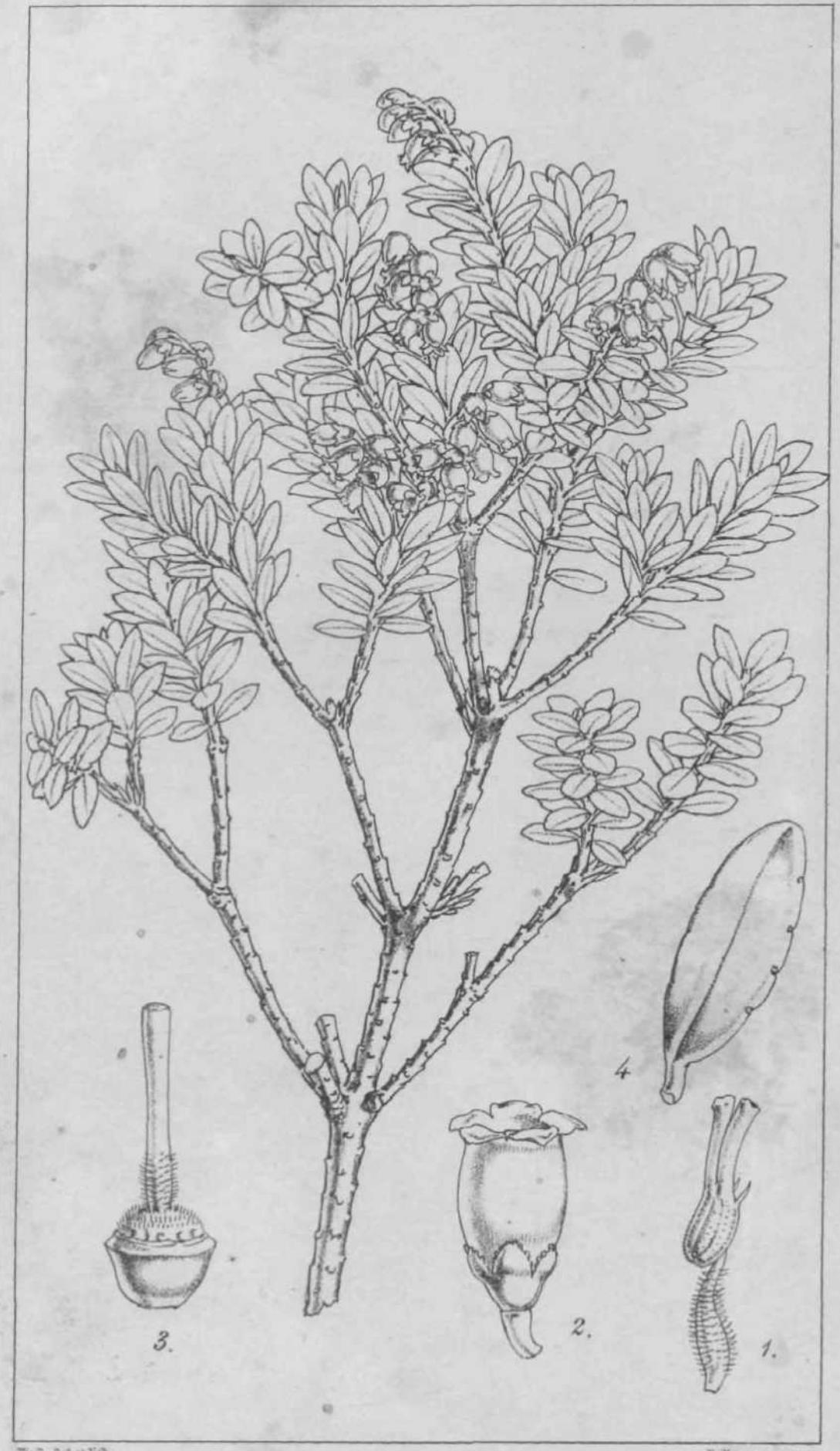
VACCINIUM BUXIFOLIUM, *Hook, fl.*

Erutex ercctus glaberrimus, ramis robustis foliosis, foliis breve petiolatis oblongis obtusis integerrimis basi rotundatis crassis coriaceis encrviiis subtus punctatis, racemis plurimis erectis strictis multifloris, floribus 2-bracteolatis breve et crasse pedicellatis, calycis tubo turbinato limbi lobis rotundatis marginibus glandulosis, corolla globoso-ampullacea crassa ore contracto limbi lobis brevibus late ovatis recurvis, filamentis pilosis, anthris inclusis brcviter oblongis loeulis in tubulos lente recurvos apice apertos productis dorso breviter 2-sctosis, stylo recto incluso, ovarii apice piloso.

HAB. Borneo; on Kini Balu, alt; 7500 feet, *H. Zow, ISSq.*

A pretty shrub, varying, according to Mr. Low, from 18 inches to 4 feet high, and bearing a profusion of apparently white blossoms. The leaves are very thick and coriaceous, obscurely veined below, and there covered with scattered black dots. The tube of the corolla is much thickened where most swollen: *J. D. H.*

*Fig. 1. Mower. /. 2. Stamen. /. 8. Ovarium. /. 4. Leaf:—
all magnified.*



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N. O. Vaccinieee.

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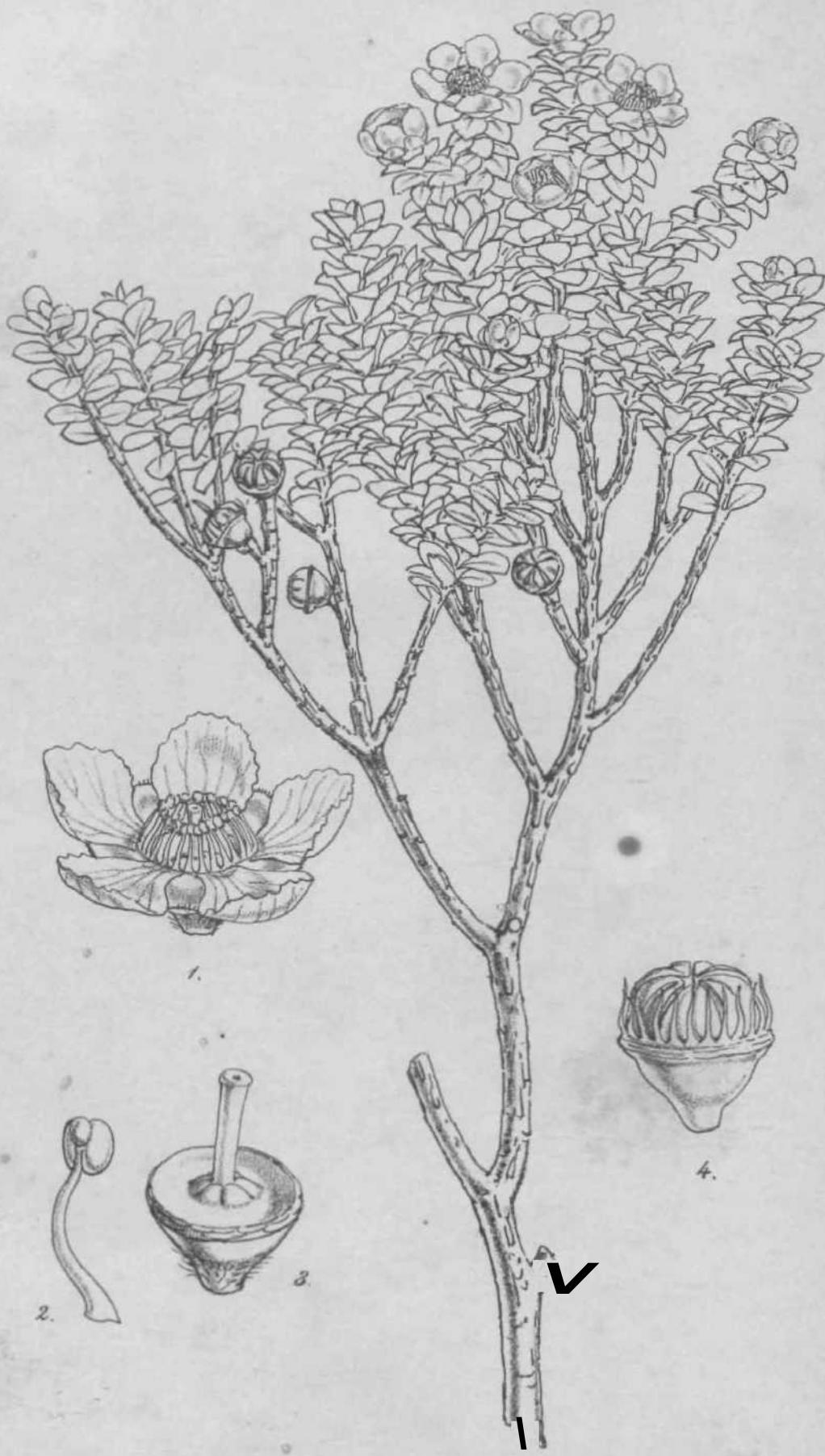
VACCINIUM.CORXACETJM, *Hook.fit.*

Fruticosum glaberrirrmm, ramis cicatricatis verrucosis, foliis parvis patulis breve petiolatis linear-i-oblongis obtusis basi subangustatis marginibus subrecurvis obscure et remote crenulatis crassis coriaceis aeniis superne nitidis subtus opacis, racemis brevibus 8-10-floris, floribus parvis breve et crasse pedicellatis, calycis tubo turbinato lobis rotundatis obtusis marginibus glandulosis, corollse tubo brevi cylindraceo subventricoso limbi lobis patulis obtusis, filamentis crassiusculis pilosis, antherarum loculis breviter ovatis dorso 2-aristatis superne in tubulos lente recurvos apice apertos productis, ovarii apice basique styli puberulis.

HAB. Borneo; on Kiⁱ Balu[^] alt. 8000 feet, *H. Low, Esq.*

Closely allied to the *V. buxifolium*, Tab. 891, but smaller, in all its parts, with more slender, warted branches, smaller, narrower leaves, crenate at the margin, and not dotted beneath, shorter and fewer-flowered racemes of less ventricose flowers.*/. *B. If.*

Fig. 1. Flower. /. 2. Stamen. /. 3. Ovarium. /. 4. Leaf:
~~—~~*All magnified.*



Lowiana.

N. O. Myrtaceas.

TAB. DCCCXCIIL

LEFTOSFERMUM RECURVUM, *Hook.jiL*

Fruticulus ramosissimus prostratus v. ercctus, ramis crccberrimc cicatricatis, ramulis sericeo-pubescentibus, foliis parvis patulis recurvisque obovatis obovato-spathulatisve apicibus subacutis marginibusque recurvis superne convexis medio sulcatis subtus dense sericeis glabratissve, floribus (pro planta) majusculis ramulis terminalibus, fructu depresso medio tubo calycis incrassato cincto, valvis 5 superne liberis.

IIAB. Borneo; Kini Balu, abundant, from 7000-8500 feet,
•whitening the top of the mountain, *H. Law, Esq.*

This, like its Australian congeners, is probably an extremely variable plant. Som? of Mr. Low's specimens are erect, others prostrate; the leaves are very coriaceous, all more or less recurved both as to their apices and margins, glabrous or densely silky below, glabrous above, with often white silk along the midrib.

J.D.H.

Fig. 1. Flower. / 2. Stamen. /. 3. Ovarium. /. 4. J?ully formed capsule:—all magnified.



Lawiana.

N. O. Ericese.

TAB. DCCCXCIV.

DIPLYCOSIA CILIOLATA, *Hook. f. L*

Fruticulus parce rainosus, ramis ramulisque hispido-strigosis foliosis, foliis confertis patulis anguste elliptico-lanccolatis acuminatis in petiolum brevem angustatis ciliolatis, floribus axillaribus solitariis breviter pedicellatis folio sequilongis, bracteis & connatis brevibus concavis calyceque glanduloso-ciliatis, calyce ad medium 5-lobo lobis acutis corollse tubum sequantibus v. brevioribus, ovario piloso basi disco 10-lobo cincto, stigmate simplici.

HAB. Borneo; Kini Balu, alt. 6000 feet, *H. Low, Esq.*

The only three species of this genus, hitherto described, are natives of the woods of Java, and were made known to us through M. Blume's 'Bijdragen'. Of these the two species in Herb. Hook, are very much larger plants than this, with scattered, broader leaves, but the structure of the flowers is the same in all. Mr. Low's specimens of *D. ciliolata* are not in fruit, and hence I am ignorant whether the calyx becomes baccate or no; this is, however, so unimportant a character in *Gaultheria* (some New Zealand species of which have fleshy baccate calyces and unaltered calyces on the same raceme of ripe fruit), that this alone would not afford a sufficient character for separating the present plant from Blume's genus of *Diplycosia*. J.D.H.

*Fig. 1. Flower. /. 2. Stamen. /. 3. Ovarium. /. 4. Leaf**
—all magnified.



Lowiana.

N. O. Thymelero,

TAB. DCCCXCV.

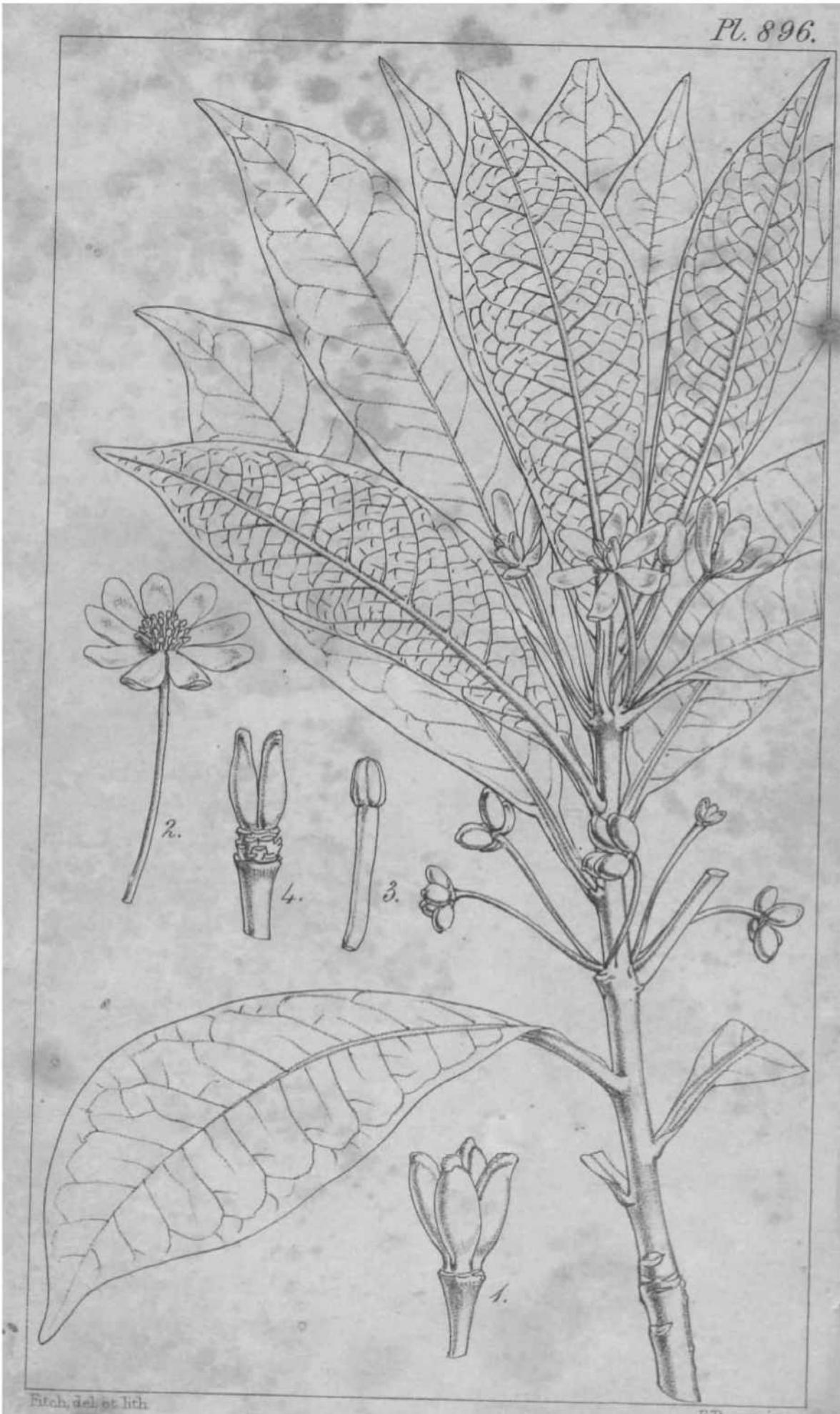
DRAPETES EMCOIDES, *Hook. fd.*

Suffruticulus caespitosus, caule erecto ramoso, ramis robustis erectis
glaberrimis cicatricatis, foliis imbricatis linearibus linearis-subu-
latisve obtusis striatis inarginibus dorsoque versus apices sericeo-
villosis, floribus ad apices ramulorum paucis foliis occultis
perianthio villoso inarticulate tubuloso limbi lobis 4 obtusis
patulis basi 2-glandulosis, staminibus 4, ovarium gibbosum
apicc ciliatum.

HAB. Borneo; exposed peaks of Kini Balu, alt. 8500 feet, II.
Low, Esq.

The only two species of *Drapetes* hitherto described are natives,
one of the, New Zealand Alps, and the other of Fuegia. Of
these the American one has the perianth jointed at the middle,
no scales or glands at the mouth of the perianth, and a plumose
stigma; the New Zealand species again has a continuous tube of
the perianth (as in the Borneo plant), its mouth closed with four
broad prominent scales, and a capitate stigma. In habit and
foliage these three plants are remarkably similar. /. D. H.

*Fig. 1, 2. Leaves. /. 3. Top of branch with flowers. /. 4. A,
flower. /. 5. The same with ^the perianth cut open. / 6. A
stamen:—all magnified.*



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N. O. Magnoliacerc.

TAB. DCCCXCVI.

DBIMYS PIPERITA, *HooLfil.*

Frutex v. arbuscula glaberrima, ramulis novellis glaucis, foliis concoloribus obovato-lanceolatis acuminatis integerrimis utrinque lsevibus reticulatim venosis, floribus unisexualibus, calyce 2-sepalo, masc. petalis 8-10 linear-ioblongis obtusis, staminibus plurimis, foem. petalis 6 elongatis, ovariis 4.

HAB. Borneo; Kini Balu, alt. 8000 feet, *H:Zow, Esq.*

This is another very remarkable discovery of Mr. Low's, connecting the alpine flora of tropical Borneo with that of the south temperate and antarctic latitudes; the nearest ally of this plant being the *Drimys Winteri* of the Straits of Magellan. This is also nearly allied to the genus *Tasrtiannia* of Australia and Tasmania, the flowers being unisexual, whether monoecious or dioecious I do not know, but there are four carpels in all the flowers I have examined of this. The leaves are, even when dry, extremely aromatic, hot, and peppery to the taste. *J. D. H.*

Fig. 1. Ovaria of the female flower. /. 2. A male flower, j. 3. Stamen. /. 4. Its rudimentary ovaria:—all butf. 2 magnified.



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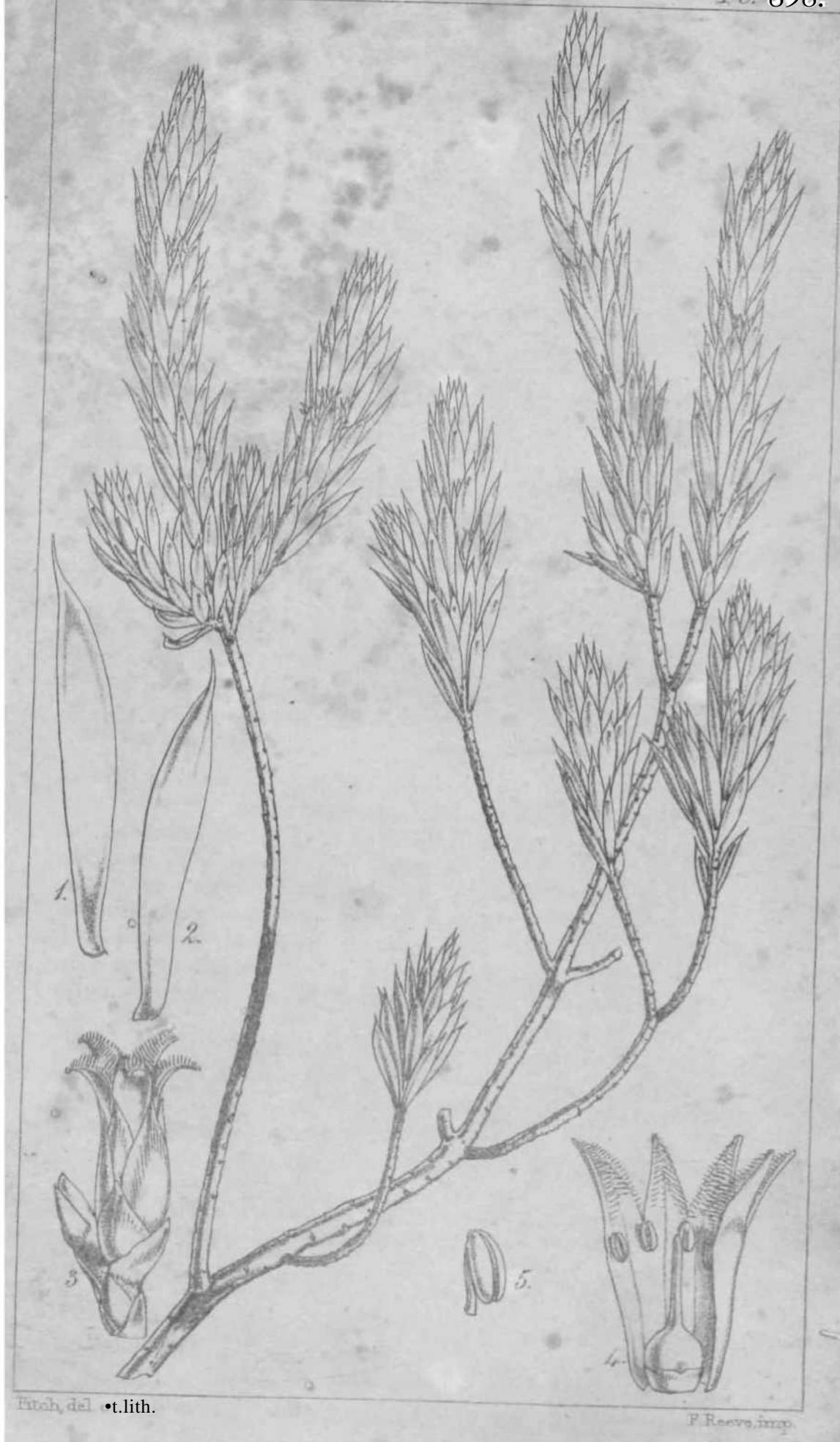
AGALMYŁA TUBERCULATA, *Hook. fit.*

Caule ascidente robusto, ramis pedunculis petiolk costa'ner-visque folii subtus villoso-pubescentibus, foliis oppositis ternisve longe petiolatis ovatis ellipticisve acuminatis serratis supra remote tuberculatis junioribus hispidulis, corymbis axillaribus 4-8-floris, calyce infra medium 5-fido, corolke tubo gibboso velutino lobis brevibus rotundatis, staminibus 4 exsertis, stigmate 2-lamellato.

HAB. Borneo; Kini Balu, alt. 8000 feet, // Low, Esq.

This beautiful plant agrees pretty well with the description of *Agalmyla asperifolia*, Blume (Bijd. p. 767), except in that the flowers cannot be called fasciculate, and the leaves are generally ternate. The said description is short and imperfect, and so equally applicable to several similar plants, that it appears to me unadvisable to pronounce this plant (which comes from so widely different a locality) to be the same with the Javanese one intended by Blume. I am further doubtful how far the genus *Agalmyla*, as at present characterized, is tenable, the *A. tuberculata*, for instance, being much more nearly allied to *JEhchynanthm* than the diandrous *Ag. staminea*, Blume, which has alternate leaves. /. D. H.

Fig. 1. Young ovary surrounded with its disc:—magnified.



Lowiana.

N. O. Epacrideae.

TAB. DCCCXCVIII.

LEUCOPOGON LANCIFOLIUS, *Hook.fil.*

Fruticulus erectus ramosus, ramis cicatricatis, ramulis glaberrimis, foliis laxe imbricatis lauceolatis linear-lanceolatisque acuminate aristatis coriaceis striato-nervosis utrinque marginibusque levibus, floribus parvis intra folia occultis axillaribus solitariis binisve brevissime pedicellatis 2-bracteatis, bracteis late ovatis, sepalis ovato-lanceolatis tubum corollas sequantibus, corolle lobis intus villosis.

HAB. Heathy plains on the north coast of Borneo, *H. Low, Esq.*, found with *Beeckea Cummingiana*.

A twiggy shrub, a foot to a foot and a half high, everywhere quite smooth. *Branches* scarred. *Leaves* imbricate, half an inch long, lanceolate with an aristate point, nerveless, striated. *Mowers* very small, hidden among the leaves, axillary, solitary or two together, nearly sessile. *Calyx* as long as the tube of the ovary.

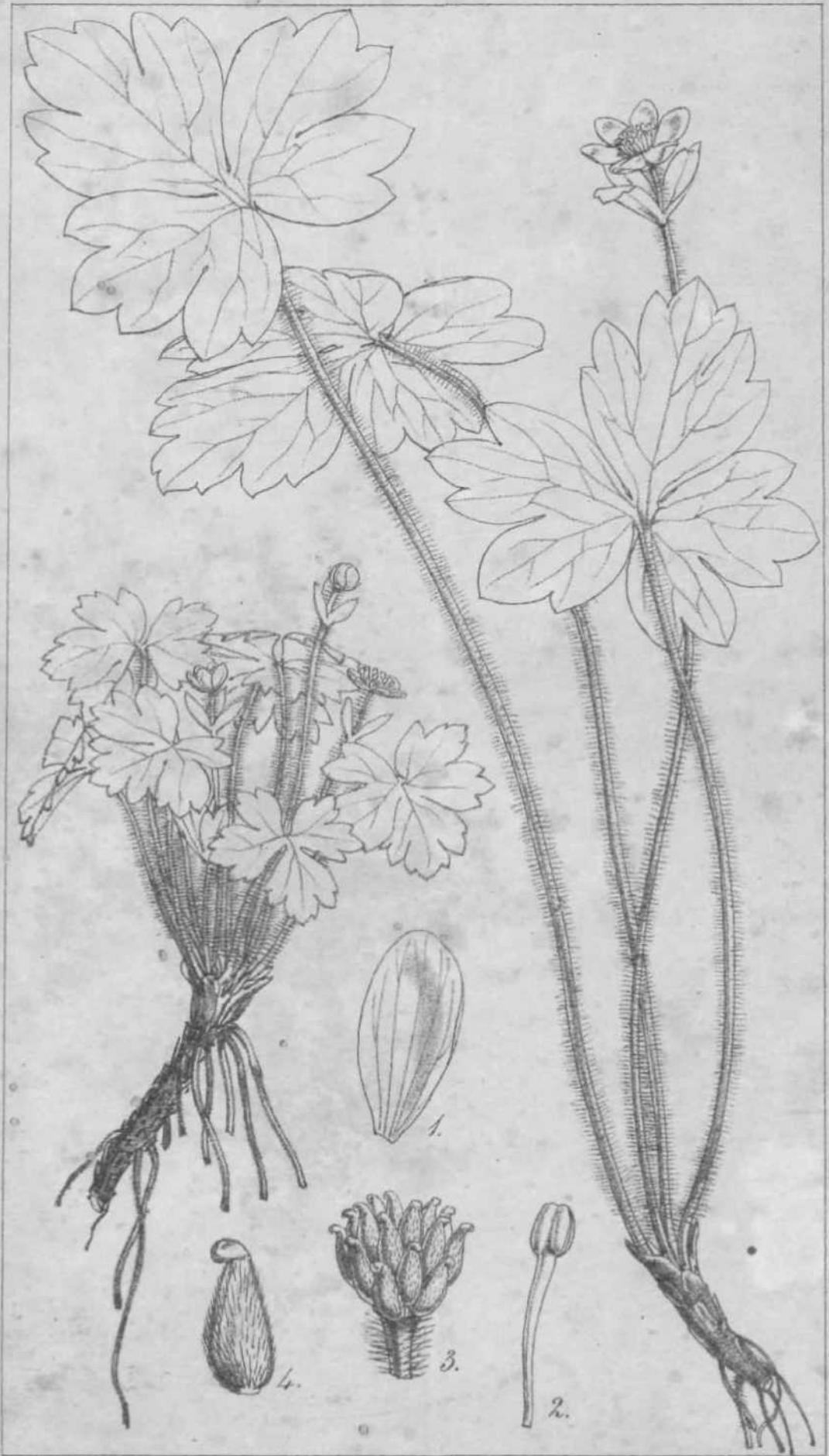
Another Borneo species of *Leucopogon*, found on Kini Balu by Mr. Low, may be characterized as follows:—

Leucopogon suaveolens, Hook. fil.; glaberrimus suberectus rauosus, ramis cicatricatis ramulisque robustis, foliis imbricatis linear-oblengis lilearibusve suba\$utis marginatis dorso glaucis nervis parallelis lineolatis extimis pectinatim ramulqsis, racemis folio brevioribus 3-4-floris puberulis, floribus parvis brevissime pedicellatis, bracteis minimis obtusis calycis lobis ovatis obtusis tubo corollas sequilongis, corolle lobis intus villosis.

HAB. Kini Balu, alt. 7500 feet, *H. Low, Esq.*

Mr. Low describes the flowers of this plant as very sweet! It much resembles a Sandwich Island *Cyathodes*, *C. Tameiameia*, Cham., as also the New Zealand *Leucopogon Colensoi*, Hook. fif. in Fl. Nov. Zealand. *J. B. H.*

Jjeucopogon lancifolius. Fig. 1, 2. Leaves. /. S. Flowers. ./. 4. Corolla cut open. f. 5. Stamen:—*all magnified.*



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N. O. Eanunculacea.

TAB. DCCCXCIX.

ANEMONE FALCONERI, *Thorns.*

Scapo unifloro petiolisque patentim pilosis, involucri 3-phylli foliolis sessilibus oblongis 3-dentatis pedicellum sequantibus v. paulo superantibus, foliis 3-partitis segmentis inciso-dentatis, sepalis 6-7 ovalibus, ovariis pilosis, acheniis muticis. *T. T.*

HAB. Kashmir, in shaded woods. Fl. April. Dr. T. T/wmson.

This little plant appears to be intermediate between the genus *Hepatica*, which has a sessile flower, and the *Anemonanthea* section of *Anemone*, which has divided involucral leaves and muticous achenia. It is, I presume, the Kashmir "*Hepatica*" alluded to by Dr. Falconer in Bfcyle's 'Illustrations of Himalayan Botany/ T.T.

Fig. 1. Sepal. /. 2. Stamen. /. 3. Head of pistils. /. 4. Pistil, separate:—magnified.

