

Campanula ^{*exigua*} ~~*githopsidea*~~, n. sp. Annual, 2 to 5 inches high, branching divergently, or rarely simple; The stems often angular by decurrent ridges from the bases of the leaves; the entire plant, or often only the base, somewhat retrorsely hispidulous: leaves sessile, 2 or 3 lines long, linear-lanceolate or broader, sometimes obovate, entire or a few with coarse teeth: flowers erect, terminating the slender branches, or on rather stout bractless peduncles: calyx=lobes equalling the tube of the campanulate corolla or shorter, becoming connivent; the tube in fruit distinctly 10-ribbed and constricted above the middle forming a somewhat uncelate capsule which ~~dehiscens~~ is dehiscent ~~by~~ at the constriction by three holes: corolla light blue, 3 to 5 lines long, the acute lobes shorter than the tube: filaments shorter than the anthers, abruptly expanding near the middle into a broad ciliolate base: style not surpassing the corolla, stigmas 3, expanding after the corolla withers: seeds oblong, smooth and shining. — Collected by the writer on the very summit of Monte Diablo, June 14, 1886.
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