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**XVI. Descriptions of the new Genera and Species of the Class
Compositæ belonging to the Floras of Peru, Mexico, and Chile.**

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THE extensive herbaria formed in Peru, Quito, and Chile, by Ruiz, Pavon, and Tafalla, and the Mexican collections of Sessè and Mociño, having by fortunate circumstances come into the possession of Aylmer Bourke Lambert, Esq., whose unwearied zeal in the advancement of botanical science is already well known, I have thought that a description of the *Compositæ*, which form an important part of these collections, might not prove unacceptable to the Linnean Society. Perhaps no people have made greater sacrifices for science than the Spanish nation. Her expeditions and voyages of discovery were fitted out on a most munificent and extensive scale; but unfortunately, the results of them have in but few instances been given to the scientific world. Don Hipolito Ruiz and Don José Pavon, accompanied by two draftsmen, were charged with the botanical mission to Peru in 1777, which lasted eleven years; and their labours were afterwards continued by Don Juan Tafalla, a distinguished pupil of Ruiz, and formerly Professor of Botany at Lima, whose investigations were also extended to the province of Quito, and the fertile district of Guayaquil. Don Martin Sessè, Don Josef Mociño, and Don Vincente Cervantes, were charged with a similar mission to Mexico in the

year 1788 ; but the botanical expedition for the purpose of exploring the vegetable riches of New Granada, under the direction of the celebrated Mutis, was organized on a much more extensive plan. From these several expeditions there has resulted an immense mass of materials, the greater part of which still remain unpublished, although many years have elapsed since their collection. The whole of the manuscripts belonging to the Peruvian expedition, having also come into Mr. Lambert's hands, I have been enabled to render the descriptions in some cases much more complete, and to add many circumstances relative to particular species, that could not have been ascertained from an inspection of the dried samples, which, however, are very perfect, and in most instances there are several duplicates of each species. Notwithstanding the labours of Humboldt and Bonpland, whose numerous discoveries have already been given to the world by my learned friend M. Kunth, through whose liberality, while at Paris in the autumn of 1821, I was permitted to examine a considerable part of the *Compositæ* contained in the herbarium of M. de Humboldt ; a very small proportion of the species in this collection are identically the same with those I am about to describe.

I have been successful in determining many of the *Compositæ* figured in the work of Hernandez ; and to the kindness of my inestimable friend Professor Lagasca I am indebted for pointing out to me the various genera which he himself has described. A small collection from Don Pablo de la Llave has made me acquainted with the genera described in the “*Descriptiones Novorum Vegetabilium.*” I have inserted a few species from other sources, partly with a view to point out their relative affinities, and more fully to illustrate the characters of certain groups ; but although I may differ widely in regard to the generic distribution of the species, the trivial names given to them

them by their discoverers, if not previously applied to other species, I have scrupulously preserved. In the distribution of the species, and in the formation of the generic divisions, I have followed the comprehensive views of Mr. Brown and M. Cassini, whose important labours in this class are universally admitted: and having myself been engaged for several years studying this department of botany,—of which very few have had so extensive opportunities,—the characters of the groups which I shall have to propose in the sequel, may, therefore, with more confidence be relied on. In order to render the divisions more intelligible, I shall in the first place proceed to give a descriptive character of the class itself.

COMPOSITÆ. *Adans., Brown.*

FLORES sæpiùs hermaphroditi, capitati, toro proprio inserti, sessiles, involucro è squamis (folia mutata) sæpè plurimis inclusi.

CALYX ovario arctè adhærens: *margo* obsoletus v. elevatus, plerumque scissus, aut in pappum formâ varium abeuns, nunc (in *Zinniâ*) corollam æmulans!

COROLLA monopetala, tubulosa, limbo 5-fida (rarò 4-fida), æstivatione valvata! laciniis 2 v. 3 connatis nunc bilabiata, aut latere interiore longitudinaliter rupta, explanata, ligulæ-formis: *nervis primariis* laciniis alternantibus!

STAMINA corollæ laciniis numero æqualia, iisdemque alterna: *filamenta* libera v. partim aut omnino corollæ tubo adhærentia, prope apicem articulata! *articulo superiore* persæpè dissimili: *antheræ* bilocularis: loculis parallelis, longitudinaliter dehiscentibus: *valvulis* inæqualibus; *interiore* angustissimâ; basi truncatis v. decurrentibus, aut productis, apice in appendiculam planam confluentibus.

PISTILLUM:

PISTILLUM: *ovarium inferum, indehiscens: disco epigyno: ovulo erecto, solitario, funiculis 2 pistillaribus manifestis suspenso: stylus e duobus conflatus, indivisus: stigmata 2, saepius soluta, patentia.*

FRUCTUS (Achenium): *pericarpium indehiscens, monospermum.*

SEmen: *testa duplex; exterior coriacea v. crustacea; interior membranacea, vascularis, vasis propriis et spiralibus instructa: albumen nullum.*

EMBRYO: *dicotyledoneus, erectus, seminis cavitati conformis: cotyledones oblongae: radicula his persæpè brevior, obtusa, centripeta.*

Plantæ polymorphæ in orbis temperatis vulgatissimæ.

The *Compositæ* constitute the most extensive and the most interesting portion of the vegetable kingdom; and their distribution is so universal, that they form a large proportion of the Flora of almost every country: but countries traversed by extensive mountain-chains, and situate within or near the tropics, are found to be most favourable to the development of the plants of this class: for in the Floras of Peru, Chile, and Mexico, they appear to constitute a sixth part of the whole phænogamous vegetation; and this estimate of their number is justified by an actual comparison both of the published and unpublished plants of these countries.

The *Compositæ* are related on the one hand to *Calycereæ*, *Dipsaceæ*, and *Valerianeæ*; and on the other to *Campanulaceæ* and *Goodenoviæ*; but the disposition of the primary vessels in the corolla essentially distinguish them from every other family. The plurality of styles, the inferior monospermous ovary, and the presence of an epigynous disk, show at least a considerable degree of analogy, if not of affinity, to the *Umbelliferæ*,

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to whose mode of inflorescence that of *Compositæ* may be compared. Singular instances of monstrosity are sometimes to be observed in *Tragopogon*, *Scorzonera*, &c., wherein the capitula have assumed the form of the compound umbel. I have already had an opportunity of showing that the other parts of fructification in this class frequently experience a remarkable degree of increase in number, and that the stigmata are generally unaffected by the number of the other parts of the flower.

I have now to state an interesting example of reduction of stamens in *Calliopsis bicolor*, a genus widely different from *Dahlia* and *Coreopsis*, with which it has been hitherto associated. In this genus most of the florets of the capitulum are quadrifid and tetrandrous; and, besides the primary vessels, there are others which occupy singly the axis of two or three of the laciniæ, but in no instance all of them. These secondary vessels evidently arise from the base, and not from the confluence of the primary trunks, as they become fainter near the apex of the laciniæ; and I am disposed to believe, that in many instances the secondary vessels take their rise with the primary trunks.

I have distributed the groups in accordance with their natural affinities, at least as far as this was practicable in a linear series: for the families appear evidently to return into each other, exhibiting a number of points of contact.

Fam. 1. CICHORACEÆ. Juss.

FLOSCULI ligulati, hermaphroditi, uniformes: *ligula* apice 5-dentata, 6-nervia: *nervis* rectis, parallelis, parùm infra dentium sinus furcatis

ANTHERÆ cristâ membranaceâ pellucidâ coronatæ, basi bisetæ (setis dentibusve membranaceis) s. ligulâ simplici truncatâ auctæ.

STIGMATA libera, filiformia v. semicylindrica, obtusa, papillosa.

ACHENIA

ACHENIA nunc apice calva.

Plantæ lactescentes. Folia alterna. Flores sæpiùs lutei.

This family constitutes but a very small part of the *Compositæ* in the South American Flora, being scarcely in the proportion of one to forty-five, while in the European Flora they are generally as one to two. The *Cichoraceæ* are readily distinguished from the other families of *Compositæ* by their uniform, ligulate, hermaphrodite florets. The primary vessels are five in the tube, but at the sinus, where the corolla splits open and expands into the ligulate lamina, the interior nerve divides into two simple branches, which run along the opposite sides, either directly on the margin itself, or more frequently placed a little within the border. The apparently simple trunks of the intermediate vessels divide a little below the sinus of the teeth, and traverse their margins, uniting at the summit of each tooth; but I have only in one instance, that of *Prenanthes virgata* of Michaux, detected secondary vessels, and therefore conclude that they are rarely present in the plants of this family. The disposition of the vessels in the lamina of the corolla will be found an important character in distinguishing the *Cichoraceæ* from such individuals belonging to other families, whose florets may have assumed an analogous form.

Besides being lactescent, the alternate leaves, their nervation, and the inequality of their teeth, when present, the irregularity of the corolla in *Lobelia*, the cohesion of its antheræ, and its papillary stigmata, show that many analogies exist between this family and *Campanulaceæ*.

Trib. 1. HIERACEÆ. *Receptaculum epaleatum. Antheræ basi interiore ligulâ simplici membranaceâ truncatâ auctæ! Involucrum polyphyllum.*

HIERACIUM.

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HIERACII SP., L.

Involucrum imbricatum. Receptaculum subfavosum. Achenia apice simplicia. Pappi radiis simplici ordine copiosis, persistentibus, setaceo-pilosus.

Involucrum multiplici ordine polyphyllum, imbricatum: squamis saepius adpressis. Receptaculum subfavosum: scrobiculis margine elevatis, ciliato-laceris. Flosculi plurimi: fauce extus barbatâ. Antheræ appendiculâ oblongâ diaphanâ coronatæ, basi interiore ligulâ membranaceâ truncatâ saepius lacerâ instructæ. Stigmata semicylindrica, obtusa, recurvata, cum dimidio superiore styli papilloso-hispida. Achene tetragona, apice simplicia: angulis sulcatis, laevibus. Pappi radiis singulo ordine digestis, copiosis, pilosis, rigidis, fragilibus, persistentibus, denticulis plurimis exasperatis, basi distinctis.

Herbae polymorphæ, radice perenni. Flores lutei, solitarii v. corymbosi. Pappus cinereo-fulvellus.

1. *H. strigosum*, pilosum; foliis linear-lanceolatis acutis denticulatis; caulinis sessilibus, paniculâ racemosâ, caule simplici fistuloso.

Hieracium hirsutum. *Herb. S. et M.*

In Mexico. *Sesse et Mocinno. 4.*

Planta strigosa, pilis copiosis, longis, patulis vestita, hispidula. Caulis erectus, cubitalis, filiformis, simplex, fistulosus. Folia radicalia petiolata, palmaria, lanceolata, acuta, mucronulo obtuso, remotè denticulata, membranacea, viridia, subtus pallidiora, basi attenuata; caulina sessilia, linear-lanceolata, 3—4-pollicaria, nunc spithamæa. Panicula racemosa,

strigosa, multiflora, spithamæa. *Flores H. cymosi*, citrini. *Pedunculi*, ut et *involucra*, pube copiosissimâ pilis glanduliferis interstinctâ vestiti; *inferiores* remotissimi. *Involucrum nigricans*, cylindricum: *squamis* triplici ordine imbricatis, pluribus (18—26), linearibus, obtusis, planis, adpressis, margine membranaceis; *intimis* subæqualibus. *Receptaculum* subfavosum. *Flosculi* involucrum longitudine æquantes, apice dentibus 5, linearibus, obtusis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ lanceolatâ, acutâ! membranacea coronatæ, basi interiore ligulâ exiguâ linearî truncatâ instructæ. *Stigmata* semicylindrica, obtusa, minutè papillosa. *Achenia* tetragona, sulcata, glabra, apice simplicia. *Pappus* pilosus, persistens, fulvellus: *radiis* duplii serie digestis, rigidis, denticulato-scabris.

2. *H. Lagopus*, villosissimum; foliis lanceolatis subintegerrimis glaucis, caule ramoso multifloro nudiusculo, ligulis 5-fidis.

In Mexico. *Sesse et Mocinno*. 4.

Herba facie *H. cerinthoides*, paulò tamen minor, similiter cæspitosa et glauca. *Caulis* pedalîs, erectus, teres, flexuosus, folio uno altero ve tantum ornatus, inde nudiusculus, infernè villosissimus. *Folia radicalia* petiolata, lanceolata, acuta, remotè denticulata, membranacea, utrinque villosa, demùm nudiuscula evadunt, basi attenuata, tripollicaria; *caulina* paucissima, multò minora, amplexicaulia, acuminata. *Petioli* ut et *Caudex*, qui ad leporis pedem non paulò refert, villis longis sericeis, exsiccatione aureis, copiosissimis vestiti. *Flores* laxè paniculati, citrini. *Pedunculi* filiformes, uniflori, pollicares. *Involucrum* cum *pedunculis*, tomento copioso glandulisque pedicellatis numerosissimis ornatum: *squamis* linearibus, acutis, multiplici ordine imbricatis,

bricatis, adpressis. *Receptaculum* leviter favosum, scabrum. *Flosculi* plurimi, ligulati, apice profundè 5-dentati, involucro multoties longiores : *lacinias* linearibus, obtusis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ ovatâ acutâ membranaceâ coronatæ, basi ligulâ linearî, truncatâ instructæ. *Stigmata* semicylindrica, obtusa, minutè papillosa. *Achenia* tetragona, sultata, glabra. *Pappus* pilosus, persistens, cinereus, fragilis : *radiis* simplici serie digestis, contiguis, rigidis, denticulis exasperatis.

I have already proposed* to separate certain species hitherto referred to *Hieracium*, and characterized by their flat, attenuated achenia surmounted by a dilated epigynous disk, and by their soft capillary pappus disposed in a double series. This group, which I have named *Hapalostephium*, comprises *Hieracium paludosum* and *pyrenaicum* of Linnaeus, the *Hieracium macrophyllum* of Pursh, and the *Crepis Sibirica* of Linnaeus. M. de La Peyrouse has referred the *H. pyrenaicum* to his *Lepicaune*, an unnatural assemblage, which, independent of the faulty name, deserves to be erased from the catalogue of genera. By the removal of these species, and the *Hieracium aureum* and *fruticosum* of authors, which do not even belong to the same tribe, the genus, although still very extensive, will scarcely admit of further division. The *Hieracium pusillum* of Pursh from Labrador I have ascertained by an examination of an authentic specimen to belong to the genus *Erigeron* of authors. The crest of the anthers in most of the species of this genus is obtuse ; but in the two above described, and in *Hieracium murorum*, it is acute.

Trib. 2. HYPOCHÆRIDEÆ. *Receptaculum* paleis distinctis refertum. *Antheræ* basi bidentatæ. *Pappus* persistens. *Involucrum* polyphyllum.

* Prod. Fl. Nep. p. 165. Edinb. New Phil. Journ. April 1829, p. 307.

OREOPHILA.

HYPOCHÆRIDIS SP., Kunth.

Pappus plumosus, sessilis. Involucrum imbricatum.

Involucrum subrotundum, polyphyllum, imbricatum: squamis lanceolatis, obtusis, membranaceis; exterioribus apice lanuginosis. Receptaculum paleatum: paleis lanceolatis, scariosis, uninerviis, acumine longo, setaceo instructis. Flosculi linear-ligulati: tubo tenui, ligula 5-dentata, 6-nervia, duplo longiore. Antheræ appendiculata ligulata, membranacea coronatae, basi dentibus 2, lanceolatis, acuminatis, membranaceis, æqualibus munitæ. Stigmata filiformia, recurvata, minutissime papillosa. Achenia oblonga, ancipiti-compressa, laevia. Pappus sessilis: radiis simplici serie contiguis, filamentoso-plumosis, validis, inæqualibus, basi crassiore persistentibus.

Herba perennis, cæspitosa, acaulis. Radix fusiformis, cortice fusco obducta, digitæ minoris crassitie. Folia numerosa, in orbem acta, humifusa, petiolata, linearia, tunc lanceolata, obtusa, obtuse sinuato-dentata, coriacea, supra glabra, subtus sed præcipue ad costam medianam pilosa, 2—3-pollicaria. Flos solitarius, sessilis, in foliorum medio latens, magnus, aureus. Pappus cinereus.

Herba locis alpinis incola, unde nomen ab opos, opeos, mons, et φιλεω, amo, i. e. planta in montibus florescens.

1. O. sessiliflora.

Hypochœris sessiliflora. Kunth in H. et B. Nov. Gen. et Sp. Pl. iv. p. 2.

In Peruviae summis alpibus Cordilleras de los Andes Hispanicè dictis. Ruiz et Pavon. 4.

The uniform sessile pappus has led me to regard this plant as constituting

constituting a distinct genus, to which, it is very probable, the *Hypochæris sonchoides* of M. Kunth should also be referred. From *Hypochæris*, which must now be limited to *H. glabra* and *minima*, it will be necessary to separate *H. radicata* and *maculata*, essentially distinguished by having the pappus uniformly stipitate. This division, first proposed by Scopoli under the name of *Achyrophorus*, has been very properly adopted by Gærtner. The genus *Seriola* of Linnæus, the *Achyrophorus* of Vaillant, which also belongs to this family, is characterized by a simple polyphyllous involucrum, and by the rays of the pappus being dilated towards the base.

Trib. 3. LACTUCEÆ. *Receptaculum epaleatum. Antheræ basi bidentatae. Pappus fugax, mollissimus, capillaceus.*

CHONDRILLA, L.

Involucrum simplici ordine polyphyllum, connivens, basi squamulis pluribus calyculatum. Receptaculum nudum. Achenia fusiformia, tuberculata. Pappus stipitatus.

Involucrum simplici ordine poly-(8—12)phyllum, cylindricum, connivens, basi squamulis pluribus (8—10) calyculatum : foliolis æqualibus, margine invicem se imbricatis. Receptaculum nudum. Flosculi indefiniti. Antheræ appendiculâ ligulatâ v. ovali diaphanâ coronatæ, basi acutè bidentatae. Stylus hispidulus. Stigmata semicylindrica, obtusa, brevia, crassiuscula, minutissimè papillosa. Achenia fusiformia, subtetragona, hinc convexa, inde sulcata, concaviuscula, supernè tuberculata, apice in stipitem longum filiformem producta. Discus epigynus depresso-capitatus ! Pappus fugax, tenuissimè capillaceus : radiis dupli ordine copiosissimis, basi solutis.

Herbæ foliis radicalibus sæpiùs runcinatis, floribus citrinis, pedunculatis.

Sect.

Sect. 2. *Involucri calyculo* polyphyllo, linear-setaceo, patulo.
Flosculi numerosi. *Herbæ perennes, caulis nudiusculis, sub-*
unifloris. Crinissa.

1. *C. pauciflora*, glabra; foliis runcinatis, caule subbifloro.

Chondrilla pauciflora. *Herb. S. et M.*

In Mexico. *Sesse et Mocinno.* 4.

Herba aspectu *Apargiæ*, perennis, glabra. *Radix* fusiformis.

Caulis erectus, cubitalis, teres, simplex, uniflorus, subinde ramo uno altero instructus, nudiusculus, hinc inde folio minore ornatus. *Folia radicalia* patula, runcinato-pinnatifida, lœvissima, viridia, 3-pollicaria, basi in petiolum attenuata: *lobis* remotis, lanceolatis, acutis, integerrimis; *caulina inferiora* radicalibus conformia; *suprema* in squamas pinnatifidas abeuntia. *Flores* magnitudine *Apargiæ Taraxaci*, solitarii, citrini. *Involucrum* simplici serie 12-phylum, cylindraceum, glaucum, tenuissimè pubescens, longitudine unguiculare, basi squamis pluribus (8—10) linear-setaceis, patulis, apice nigricantibus munitum: *foliolis* linearibus, membranaceis, sub apice tuberculo auctis. *Receptaculum* nudum. *Flosculi* plurimi (30), ligulati, 5-dentati: *ligulâ* 6-nerviâ, involucrum longè superante. *Antheræ* appendiculâ ovali obtusâ membranaceâ coronatæ, basi acutè bidenticulatae. *Stigmata* brevia, semicylindrica, obtusa, cum styli apice minutè papillosa. *Achenia* fusiformia, hinc ventricosa, 4-sulcata, inde depressa, planiuscula, undique tuberculata. *Discus epigynus* apice annulo lanuginoso instructus. *Pappus* longè stipitatus, mollissimus, fulvellus: *radiis* tenuissimè capillaceis, dupli ordine copiosissimis, confertis, longitudine inæqualibus, basi solutis.

2. *C. Sessæana*, glabra; foliis linearibus acuminatis subintegerimis, caule unifloro.

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In Mexico. *Sesse et Mocinno.* 4.

Herba perennis, cæspitosa, glabra. *Radix* fusiformis. *Caules* plures ex eadem radice, erecti, spithamæi, filiformes, uniflori, læves, folio unico, lanceolato, integerrimo, sessili ad medium v. paulò infrà, inde squamis aliquot linear-setaceis muniti, apicem versus pubescentes. *Folia radicalia* plurima, sessilia, linearia, acuminata, glabra, integerrima, v. nunc subruncinata, dentibus paucis, magnis, retrorsis instructa, 2—3-uncialia, sesquilineam lata. *Flores* citrini, parùm minores. *Involucrum* simplici serie 12-phylum, cylindraceum, glaucum, tenuissimè pubescens, unguiculare, basi squamis pluribus (8—10) linear-setaceis, patulis, apice nigricantibus munitum: *foliolis* linearibus, membranaceis, sub apice tuberculo auctis. *Receptaculum* nudum. *Ligulæ* 5-dentatæ, 6-nerviæ, involucro ferè duplò longiores. *Antheræ* cristâ ovali membranaceâ coronatæ, basi bidenticulatæ. *Stigmata* brevia, crassiuscula, linear-lingulata, pruinosa. *Achenia matura* nondum vidi. *Pappus* omnino ut in præcedente.

The simple polyphyllous involucrum, independent of any other character, is alone sufficient to distinguish *Chondrilla* from *Lactuca*, its nearest ally. To the normal group of the genus, besides *Chondrilla juncea* of Linnaeus, belong *Chondrilla latifolia* and *graminea* of the “*Flora Taurico-Caucasica*,” and a fourth species contained in the Pallasian herbarium, marked “*Prenanthes nova*,” and which possibly may prove to be the *Prenanthes aspera* of Schrader and Willdenow. It is very probable that *Chondrilla lævigata* of Pursh may prove a third aberrant species of this genus, as the description appears to indicate an intimate affinity to *C. Sessæana* above described.

TRACHODES.

Involucrum imbricatum. Receptaculum laxe. Achenia subfusiformia, transverse rugosissima. Pappus sessilis; radiis basi solutis.

Involucrum multiplo ordine polyphyllum, imbricatum, cylindraceum, tubulatum: squamis exterioribus ovatis, obtusis, margine scariosis; intimis 8, elongatis, linearis-ligulatis, conniventibus. Receptaculum laxe. Flosculi indefiniti (20—24): ligulis 5-dentatis, 6-nerviis. Antheræ cristâ ovatâ acutâ! membranaceâ coronatæ, basi bidentatæ. Stigmata semi-cylindrica, obtusa, cum apice styli papilloso-hispida! Achenia subfusiformia, tetragona, apice attenuato acutè quadrangulo, angulis prominulis, costisque solitariis v. binis insterinctis, rugis transversis elevatis scabra. Pappus sessilis, capillaceus, mollissimus, fugax: radiis triplici ordine digestis, basi solutis; intimis crassitie parùm dissimilibus.

Herba biennis, e viridi cærulescens. Caulis bipedalis, erectus, rigidus, paniculatim ramosus, teres, aculeis minutissimis scaber, basin versus purpureo-maculatus, vix calatum scriptorium crassitie adæquans. Folia radicalia vix spithamea, subsessilia, spatulata, sinuato-runcinata, mucronata, margine copiosè spinuloso-denticulata, pollicem v. sesquipollicem lata; caulina amplexicaulia, altius lobata: lobis trianguli-ovatis, acuminatis. Flores citrini? pedicellati, Lactucæ virosæ iis vix majores. Pedicelli squamis ovatis margine scariosis muniti. Pappus niveus. Nomen ad plantæ asperitatem refert, τραχωδης, scabrosus.

1. T. *paniculatus*.

Sonchus paniculatus. Herb. S. et M.

In Mexico Sesse et Mocinno. ♂.

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In *Sonchus* the rays of the pappus are united into bundles at the base, and the receptacle is rough and much dilated.

Trib. 4. SCORZONERÆ. *Receptaculum* epaleatum. *Antheræ* basi bisetæ, appendiculâ exiguâ reniformi! coronatæ. *Stigmata* sæpiùs filiformia, papillosa. *Involucrum* simplex v. imbricatum.

PICROSIA.

Involucrum 8-phyllum. *Ligulæ* tridentatæ, 4-nerviæ! *Pappus* capillaris, stipitatus.

Involucrum simplici serie 8-phyllum, cylindricum, basi omnino nudum: *foliolis* ligulatis, obtusis, margine invicem se imbricatis, planis. *Receptaculum* planum, nudum. *Flosculi* plurimi: *tubus* tenuissimus, filiformis; *fause* extùs villosiusculâ: *ligulâ* linearî, tridentatâ, 4-nerviâ. *Stamina* ferè omnino exserta: *filamenta* capillaria, libera: *antheræ* leviter coalitæ, basi bidenticulatæ, cristâ exiguâ brevissimâ coronatæ. *Stigmata* brevia, semicylindrica, obtusa, papilloso-pruinosa, arcuato-conniventia. *Achenia* fusiformia, sulcis plurimis longitudinaliter notata, glabra. *Pappus* longè stipitatus, capillaris, mollis, caducus: *radiis* dupli ordine confertis, scabriusculis, inæqualibus, basi solutis.

Herba perennis, lœvigata, glauca. Caulis erectus, pedalis, ramosus, teres, striatus, calatum scriptorium crassitie ferè adæquans. Rami paucissimi. Folia sessilia, lanceolata, integerrima, nunc remotissimè dentata, palmaria v. spithamæa, pollicem lata; inferiora basin versus angustata, sublingulata; superiora amplexicaulia, basi sagittata. Flores solitarii, pendunculati. *Involucrum* unciale, lœvissimum: foliolis apice puberulis. *Flosculi* lutei? tenues, involucro longiores. Pappus semipollicem longus, cinereo-fulvus. Nomen a πικρος, amarus.

1. P. *longifolia*.Tragopogon sp. nova. *Herb. R. et P.*In Peruviae alpibus. *Ruiz et Pavon. 4.*

There is no genus with which this can well be compared: it has the involucrum of *Tragopogon*, and in habit it resembles *Cynthia virginica**¹, the *Troximon virginicus* of Gærtner; but the structure of its pappus and florets removes it from every genus to which it bears any affinity. The *Scorzonereæ* are well distinguished from the rest of *Cichoraceæ* by the very short, reniform appendage surmounting the anthers; that organ in most of the other tribes having an oblong form. This interesting genus concludes the family of *Cichoraceæ*; and we shall now proceed to the consideration of the *Labiatifloræ*, which constitute a much more numerous and interesting portion of the collection.

Fam. 2. LABIATIFLORÆ. *Dec. et Lag.*

FLOSCULI difformes, plerumque tubulosi: limbo saepius bilabiatō-partito, multinervio.

ANTHERÆ appendiculâ cartilagineâ v. callosâ, plerumque elongatâ terminatæ, basi bioristatae.

STIGMATA obtusa, papilloso-pruinosa, rariū partim v. omnino connata.

ACHENIA pappo raro destituta.

Plantæ non lactescentes. Folia alterna. Flores saepius purpurei.

The *Labiatifloræ* were first proposed as a distinct group by Messrs. DeCandolle and Lagasca in the 19th volume of the "Annales du Muséum." Professor Lagasca having communicated to M. DeCandolle his remarks on this family, together with the essential characters of many new genera belonging to

* *Edinb. New Phil. Journ.* l. c. p. 309.

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it, the paper may therefore be considered as the joint production of these two distinguished botanists; but about the same period Professor Lagasca published at Orihuela a separate treatise on this family, which he therein denominates *Chænanthophoræ*, with the addition of a few more genera, and several of those occurring in the other memoir are there given under different names. The names comprised in the memoir inserted in the “*Annales du Muséum*” have however prevailed, from the more extensive circulation of the work, although the former has the right of priority by some months, as the latter occurs in the commencement of the nineteenth volume, which was published in 1812, the year after the separate treatise by Professor Lagasca had appeared. In the series of natural affinities the *Labiatifloræ* form the connecting link between the *Cichoraceæ* and *Carduaceæ*; and although an exact definition of them is scarcely attainable, yet they appear to me sufficiently distinct to entitle them to rank as a separate family. Some botanists, however, have doubted of the propriety of this separation, and still think that they ought to be reunited to the other families of *Compositæ*; but it is unnecessary here to argue against such an opinion,—derived more, probably, from the works of others, than from actual observation,—as little investigation is requisite to see that by this reunion, the limits hitherto well-defined between the *Cichoraceæ* and *Carduaceæ* would be completely removed: and as no advantage whatever can be derived from this arrangement, it is certainly preferable to retain them as a distinct group, and more especially as they evidently have throughout a very marked affinity.

The *Labiatifloræ*, with the exception of a few species chiefly belonging to the group *Perdiceæ*, are peculiar to the western hemisphere; and they constitute one fifth of the *Compositæ* of the South-American Flora, where they appear to occupy the

place of the *Cichoraceæ* of the Northern hemisphere, to whom they bear a striking analogy both in habit and structure; but in the Chilian Flora, where this family is more especially abundant, they form nearly one-half of the whole class. I have ventured to give the descriptions of a few interesting species from Brazil belonging to this family, whose affinities seemed to justify their insertion in this memoir.

Trib. 1. **TRIXIDEÆ.** *Receptaculum epaleatum. Flosculi uniformes, bilabiati, hermaphroditi. Stigmata soluta, semi-cylindrica, truncata, papillosa. Plantæ sæpiùs fruticosæ, foliis integris.*

Sect. a. PAPPO PILOSO.

TRIXIS. *P. Br., Dec., Lag.*

PERDICII SP., L.

Receptaculum villosum. Flosculi indefiniti. Involucrum æquale. Involucrum simplici v. duplici ordine poly-(5—16)phyllum, basi squamis paucissimis s. bracteis amplis munitum: foliolis subæqualibus. Receptaculum densè villosum. Flosculi indefiniti (5—25) hermaphroditi, bilabiati; labio exteriore ligulato, patulo, tridenticulato, 4-nervio (nervis rectis, lateralibus longè intramarginalibus); interiore revoluto, bipartito: laciniis linear-lanceolatis, binerviis, apice puberulis. Antheræ in tubum connatæ, basi bisetosæ (setis simplicibus) apice appendiculâ linear-lanceolatâ acutâ coriaceâ coronatæ. Stigmata semicylindrica, truncata, recurva, apice papillosa, nervo manifesto. Achenia subteretia, nunc compressiuscula, undique papilloso-scabra: disco epi-gyno concavo, parùm dilatato, margine elevato, calloso. Pappus capillaris, caducus: radiis duplici ordine copiosis, basi solutis, denticulato-scabris.

Frutices

Frutices foliis indivisis, floribus terminalibus numerosis, albis aut luteis.

* *Involuci foliolis simplici serie dispositis.* Propriæ.

1. T. *cacaloides*, foliis petiolatis ellipticis subintegerrimis sericeis, involucro pentaphyllo : foliolis ligulatis obtusis flosculis brevioribus.

Perdicium cacaloides. *Kunth in H. et B. Nov. Gen. et Sp. Pl. 4. p. 154.*

In Peruviâ. *Ruiz et Pavon.* 5.

Caulis fruticosus, erectus, ramosissimus, rigidus, cortice fuscente obductus. *Ramuli* hirsuti. *Folia* petiolata, ex obovatâ ad ellipticam formam variantia, sed rariùs obovata, mucronulata, integerrima, nunc rariùs perparcè denticulata, utrinque sericeo-pubescentia, pollicem v. 2 pollices longa, è semipollucari ad unciam latitudine variantia. *Petioli* breves. *Flores* parvi, fasciculato-corymbosi, numerosissimi. *Pedicelli* sericeo-villosi. *Bracteolæ* ad basin involuci subsolitariæ, angustè lineares, obtusæ, pubescentes. *Involucrum* pentaphyllum : *foliolis* ligulatis, obtusis, æquilibus. *Receptaculum* copiosè villosum. *Flosculi* pauci (5—7), hermaphroditi, bilabiati, lutei ; *labio exteriore* ligulato, obtusè tridenticulato ; *interiore* bipartito, revoluto : *laciniis* linearibus, obtusiusculis, apice barbulatis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ linearî obtusiusculâ terminatæ, basi bisetæ : *setis* simplicibus. *Stigma* bifidum : *laciniis* recurvatis, truncatis, minutè papillois. *Achenia* linearia, compressa, minutè papilloso-scabra. *Pappus* capillaris, flavescens, denticulis asper, caducus.

2. T. *calycina*, foliis petiolatis ovato-lanceolatis dentatis subtûs lanatis, involucro 10-phyllo : foliolis subulatis flosculis longioribus.

Perdicium

Perdicium calycinum. *Mart. MSS.*

In Bahiâ Brasiliensium. *Martius.* ½.

Frutex facie *Æthoniae fruticosæ** erectus, rigidus, ramosissimus, fragilis. *Ramuli* teretes, undique villis copiosis glandulis minutis pedicellatis interstinctis vestiti. *Folia* alterna, petiolata, ovato-lanceolata, acuta, acutè dentata, tum dentibus approximatis subserrata, basi attenuata, subtùs copiosè villoso-lanata, suprà demùm nuda, viridia, bi- v. tripolligaria, semunciam v. ultra lata. *Corymbi* terminales, laxè divaricati. *Pedunculi* filiformes, minutè glandulosi, pollicares v. bipollicares, apicem versus crassiores, squamis aliquot (2—3) linearì-lanceolatis acuminatis muniti. *Involucrum* ferè *Kleiniæ*, simplex, decaphyllum minutè glandulosum, basi bracteolâ angustissimâ instructum: *foliolis* linearì-subulatis, erectis, acutis, flosculis longioribus. *Receptaculum* copiosè villosum. *Flosculi* 10—12, hermaphroditi, bilabiati; *labio exteriore* ligulato, patulo, acutè tridenticulato; *interiore* bipartito: *lacinias* linearì-lanceolatis, acutis, revolutis, apice imberibus. *Antheræ* basi longè biaristatæ, appendiculâ linearì-lanceolatâ obtusiusculâ terminatæ. *Stigma* bipartitum: *lacinias* recurvatis, semicylindricis, apice truncatis, papilloso-puberulis. *Achenia* longa, teretiuscula, undique asperè papillosa, apicem versus paululùm angustiora. *Pappus* capillaris, cinereus, denticulis asper, caducus.

3. T. *corymbosa*, foliis petiolatis lanceolatis integerrimis puberulis, involucro 8-phyllo: *foliolis* linearì-lanceolatis acutis.

Perdicium corybosum. *Herb. S. et M.*

In Mexico. *Sesse et Mocinno.* ½.

Caulis lignosus, diffusè ramosissimus. *Rami* teretes, cortice striato cinereo-fusco obducti. *Folia* sparsa, petiolata, lan-

* *Edinb. New Phil. Journ.* 1. c. p. 309.
ceolata,

ceolata, mucronata, margine integerrima, nunc plana, sub-
inde reflexa, utrinque cum ramulis pubescenti vestita, sub-
tus costâ prominulâ, reticulato-venosissima, membranacea,
basi attenuata, sesqui- v. triplicaria, semunciam v. paulò
ultra lata. *Flores* lutei, copiosissimi, laxè corymbosi. *Pedun-
culi* pedicellique densè pubescentes. *Bracteæ inferiores* per-
pedunculos sparsæ, foliis conformes; *superiores* sensim mi-
nores; *supremis* linear-lanceolatis, acutis, basi attenuatis,
marginè revolutis, multò minoribus, involucrum munienti-
bus. *Receptaculum* copiosè villosum. *Flosculi* 10—12,
hermaphroditi, bilabiati; *labio exteriore* ligulato, obtusè
tridenticulato, patulo; *interiore* bipartito: *laciniis* linear-
lanceolatis, revolutis, apice obtusis, barbulatis, marginibus
primùm conglutinatis. *Antheræ* setis 2 capillaceis basi mu-
nitæ, apice appendiculâ linear acutiusculâ ipsius antheræ
longitudine coronatæ. *Stigma* bipartitum: *laciniis* semi-
teretibus, papilloso-pruinosis, apice truncatis, recurvis.
Achenia teretia, minutè papillosa, et glandulosa. *Pappus*
capillaris, flavescent, denticulis scaber, caducus.

** *Involucri squamis dupli ordine dispositis.*

4. *T. glutinosa*, foliis sessilibus oblongis integerrimis subtus lana-
tis, floribus corymbosis, involucri foliolis linear-lanceolatis
coriaceis. Perdicium brasiliense. *Mart. MSS. non L.*

In Brasiliæ provinciâ Minas Geraes vulgo dictâ. *Martius.* h.

Caulis fruticosus, erectus, ramosus. *Rami* teretes, cortice cinna-
momeo obducti, pilis glandulisque copiosè ornati, viscosi,
pennâ corvinâ vix crassiores. *Folia* alterna, sessilia, oblonga,
v. linear-lanceolata, mucronulata, integerrima, coriacea,
suprà gramineo-viridia, reticulato-venosa, parçè incum-
benti-pilosa, glandulosa, et glutinosa, subtus copiosè cine-
albos.

re-

reo-lanata, lanâ villoso-nunc lutescenti, sesqui- v. bipollucaria, semunciam lata. *Flores* corymbosi, magni, aurei. *Corymbus* simplex, terminalis pluri-(5—7)florus. *Pedunculi* robusti, uniflori, teretes, ut et *involucrum*, glandulis pedicellatis omnino induti, viscosissimi, foliolis aliquot (2—4) cæteris foliis simillimis, at perquam minoribus, instructi. *Involucrum* dupli ordine polyphyllum: *foliolis* linearilanceolatis, acutis, obtuse carinatis; prætereà *bracteolæ* paucæ, lanceolatæ, acutæ, subtùs tomentosæ, breviores. *Receptaculum* densè villosum. *Flosculi* numerosi, hermaphroditi, tubo longo, limbo bilabiati: *labiis* revolutis; *exteriore* ligulato, obtuse 3-denticulato; *interiore* bipartito: *lacinias* lanceolato-linearibus, spiraliter convolutis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ linearilanceolatâ acutâ terminatæ, basi longè bisetæ: *setis* simplicibus, muticis. *Stigma* bifidum: *lobis* recurvis, semiteretibus, suprà canaliculatis, apice truncato, papilloso-barbulato. *Achenia* subteretia longiuscula, undique papilloso-scabra. *Pappus* pilosus, niveus, denticulis scaber.

This is totally distinct from the *Perdicium brasiliense* of Linnaeus, as will hereafter appear.

5. T. *divaricata*, foliis lanceolatis acuminatis denticulatis basi auriculatis, floribus paniculatis, involucri foliolis lanceolatis membranaceis.

Perdicium divaricatum. Kunth in H. et B. Nov. Gen. et Sp. Pl. 4. p. 155. t. 355.

P. auriculatum. Bot. Mag. t. 2765.

In Peruviâ. Ruiz et Pavon. ½.

Caulis fruticosus, teres, flexuosus, ut videtur scandens, divaricato-ramosissimus, cortice fulvello pubescente indutus. *Folia* alterna, sessilia, lanceolata, acuminata, margine denticulis

ticulis plurimis perexiguis instructa, membranacea, deorsum attenuata, imâ basi auriculato-cordata, 3—5-pollicaria, latitudine pollicaria v. sesqui-pollicaria, suprà gramineo-viridia, nunc glabra, subtus pallida, villosiuscula. *Flores* nutantes, paniculati, lutescentes. *Panicula* terminalis, divaricata, multiflora. *Pedunculi* flexuosi, *pedicellique* copiosè pubescentes. *Bracteolæ* paucissimæ, lanceolato-subulatæ, recurvulæ, pubescentes. *Involucrum* dupli serie poly-(13—16)-phyllum, velutinum : *foliolis* lanceolatis, acuminatis, politis, membranaceis ; *intimis* plurimùm longioribus. *Receptaculum* villosum. *Flosculi* 12—14, bilabiati, hermaphroditi ; *labio exteriore* ligulato, 3-denticulato ; *interiore* bipartito : *segmentis* lanceolato-subulatis, apice puberulis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ linear-lanceolatâ obtusiusculâ ipsâ antherâ longiore, basi setis 2 simplicibus munitæ. *Stigma* bipartitum : *laciniis* recurvis, apice truncatis, minutè papilloso-glandulosa. *Achenia* longiuscula, compressa, undique papilloso-glandulosa. *Pappus* capillaris, flavicans, caducus, denticulis scaber.

The figure given in the *Nova Genera et Species* is accurate as to the general character of the plant ; but the leaves are represented with a perfectly entire margin, which is clearly an error ; for there can be no question as to the identity of the two plants, and indeed the description of M. Kunth shows that the figure is faulty in this respect. I have no doubt that the *Perdicium auriculatum* given in the *Botanical Magazine* (tab. 2765.) is really this plant, and that it is not, as there erroneously stated, from Brazil, but had been imported from Peru.

*** *Involucrum* basi bracteis 5 amplis foliaceis obvallatum : *foliolis* simplici ordine digestis. *Flosculi* plurimi. Alcithoë.

6. T. *longifolia*, foliis petiolatis lanceolatis acuminatis integerimis lœvibus.

Perdicium longifolium. *Herb. S. et M.*

In Mexico. *Sesse et Mocinno.* ȳ.

Caulis fruticosus. *Rami* cylindrici, pallidi, perparcè sericeo-pubescentes. *Folia* (Salicis) numerosa, alterna, brevissimè petiolata, lanceolata, acuminata, integerrima, submembranacea, utrinque, sed præsertim subtùs, adpressè villosiuscula, costâ prominulâ, venisque plurimis obliquis reticulatim ramosissimis manifestis, basi v. acutâ, v. (in superioribus) obtusâ, gramineo-viridia, plerumque palmaria, vix semipollicem lata. *Petioli* teretiusculi, lineam v. ultra longi. *Flores* terminales, corymbosi, aurei. *Corymbus* simplex, foliosus, multiflorus. *Pedunculi* copiosè glandulosopubescentes, unciales. *Bracteæ* 5, amplæ, foliaceæ, ovato-lanceolatæ, acuminatæ, glanduloso-pubescentes. *Involucrum* simplici ordine 8-phylum : *foliolis* ligulatis, acutis, coriaceis, costatis, intùs sericeo-vilosissimis, extùs atomis resinosis copiosissimis. *Receptaculum* copiosè villosum. *Flosculi* plures, (18—20) hermaphroditi, bilabiati ; *labio exteriore* ligulato, patulo, obtusè tridentato ; *interiore* bipartito, revoluto : *segmentis* linear-lanceolatis, apice obtusis puberulisque. *Antheræ* appendiculâ ligulatâ obtusâ cartilagineâ antheram ipsam longitudine æquante, basi setis 2 simplicibus longis cuspidatis munitæ. *Stigma* bipartitum : *laciniis* recurvis, apice papilloso-barbatis, truncatis. *Achenia* teretiuscula, undique papilloso-scabra. *Pappus* capillaris, fulvellus, denticulis minutissimis scaber, fragilis, inæqualis, caducus.

7. *T. alata*, foliis decurrentibus ellipticis denticulatis scabris.

In Mexico. *Sesse et Mocinno.* ȳ.

Caulis fruticosus, erectus, rigidus, ramosus. *Rami* teretes, foliaceo-alati, copiosè pilosi, scabri. *Folia* alterna, longè per caulem

caulem decurrentia, oblongo-ovata, acuta, mucronuloque corneo munita, utrinque papillis setosis exasperata, viridia, margine denticulata, costâ basi penitus prominenti apicem versus perecili, venis prominulis obliquis ramosissimis, 2—3-uncialia, unciam v. sesquiunciam lata. Flores terminales, plures, corymbosi. *Corymbus simplex.* Pedunculi teretes, validi, densè glanduloso-pilosi, semunciales. Bracteæ 5, amplæ, foliaceæ, ovato-lanceolatæ, acuminatæ, copiosè glandulosæ, pollicares v. sesquipollicares, vix semi-pollicem latæ, involucro longiores, atque obvallantes. *Involucrum* simplici serie 8-phylum: foliolis linear-lanceolatis, acuminatis, coriaceis, apice membranaceis, papilloso-glandulosis. Receptaculum densè pilosum. Flosculi aurei, plurimi (24) hermaphroditi, bilabiati, omnibus majores; labio exteriore ligulato, elliptico, tridenticulato; interiore profundè bipartito; segmentis linearibus, obtusis, pilosiusculis, spiraliter revolutis. Antheræ basi bisetae: setis simplicibus, aristatis: appendiculâ ligulatâ, obtusâ, cartagineâ, ipsâ antherâ breviore. Stigma bipartitum: lobis recurvatis, apice truncatis et papillosis. Achenia teretiuscula, papilloso-scabra, spadicea. Pappus capillaceus, denticulis scaber, caducus, niveus.

8. T. *involucrata*, foliis ovato-lanceolatis integerrimis subtùs sericeo-vilosissimis.

In Mexico. D. Paullus de La Llave. 2.

Caulis fruticosus, ramosus. *Rami* teretes, undique villosissimi. *Folia* alterna, sessilia, conferta, ovato-lanceolata, acuminata, integerrima, uninervia, venis angulo acuto obliquis, plurimis; membranacea, suprà viridia, glandulis pedicellatis copiosè ornata, subtùs sericeo-vilosissima, pollicaria. *Flores* magni, in apice ramorum pauci (4—5), corymbosi.

Involucrum copiosè glandulosum, serie simplici 8-phylum, bracteis amplis, foliaceis, ovato-lanceolatis, mucronatis obvallatum : *foliolis* linear-lanceolatis, mucronatis, nervosis. *Receptaculum* copiosè villosum. *Flosculi* aurei, copiosi, bilabiati, hermaphroditi, æquales : *tubo* intus hirsuto ; *labio exteriore* ligulato, patulo, apice tridenticulato ; *interiore* altè biparfito : *segmentis* linearibus, revolutis, apice obtuso, barbato. *Filamenta* compressa, glabra. *Antheræ* appendiculâ ipsius antheræ longitudine, ligulatâ, coriaceâ terminatæ, basi longè biaristatæ : *aristis* nudis, linear-setaceis. *Stylus* filiformis, glaber. *Stigmata* semicylindrica, truncata, minutè papillosa. *Achenia* longitudine ferè involucri, angusta, tetragona, minutè papilloso-scabra. *Pappus* pilosus, fulvo-cinereus : *radiis* dupli ordine digestis, creberrimè denticulatis, basi solutis, deciduis.

This genus constitutes the transition from the *Cichoraceæ* to the more aberrant groups of the *Labiatifloræ*. The habit and the general resemblance of its flowers to those of the former family, justify the place which I have assigned to it. I have followed Lagasca and DeCandolle in restoring the old name of *Trixis*, first applied to designate the original species of this genus by Dr. Patrick Browne; but the genus having been united to *Perdicium* by Linnaeus, the name was subsequently used by Swartz to denote the *Baillieria* of Aublet. The third section may probably be reckoned sufficiently distinct to constitute another genus; but this point I shall leave till further observations shall determine.

CLEANTHES.

PERDICII SP., L.

Receptaculum glabrum ! *Flosculi* indefiniti. *Involucrum* æquale. *Involucrum* simplici v. dupli ordine polyphyllum : *foliolis* subæqualibus.

æqualibus. *Receptaculum* convexum, glabrum. *Flosculi* indefiniti, hermaphroditi, bilabiati; *labio exteriore* elliptico, obtusè tridenticulato, 4-nervio, patulo; *intiore* bipartito: *laciniis* lanceolatis, acutis, binerviis, revolutis, sæpè margine conglutinatis. *Stamina* tubo inserta: *filamenta* glabra; *articulo superiore* teretusculo: *antheræ* appendiculâ linearilanceolatâ, acutâ, cartilagineo-membranaceâ coronatæ, basi bisetosæ: *setis* compressis, attenuatis, simplicibus, æquilibus. *Stylus* filiformis, glaber, basi bulbosus. *Stigmata* semicylindrica, apice truncata, minutè papillosa, recurvata. *Achenia* subfusiformia, compressa, undique papilloso-scabra, 5-costata: *costis* callosis. *Discus epigynus* dilatatus, concavus. *Pappus* pilosus, persistens: *radiis* dupli ordine copiosis, denticulato-scabris.

Herbæ perennes, habitu omnino Hieracii. Caulis multiflorus.

Folia indivisa; radicalia maxima, petiolata. Flores corymbosi. Pappus cinereus.

1. *C. brasiliensis*, pilosissima; caule angulato, involucri foliolis lanceolatis obtusis.

Perdicium brasiliense. Linn. Mant. 115. Vahl. in Act. Soc. Hist. Nat. Haf. 1. p. 12.

In Brasiliâ. Arduini. 4.

Herba perennis, tota pilis basi callosis copiosè vestita, hispidula.

Caulis erectus, angulatus, supernè sulcatus, apice ramosus, pedalis. *Folia radicalia* petiolata, patula, elliptico-oblonga, aut spathulata, sinuato-dentata (dentibus tuberculo calloso terminatis, productis, tunc raro paulò retrorsis), basi attenuata, costâ mediâ subtûs prominulâ nervisque angulo acuto obliquè transversis instructa, palmaria, sesquiunciam lata; *caulina* plura, multoties minora, sessilia, lineari-lanceolata, margine dentata, revoluta, tuberculo calloso terminata,

terminata, uncialia v. biuncialia. *Petioli* unciales, subtus carinati, basi valde dilatati. *Flores* plures (7) corymbosi, magnitudine *Hieracii Sabaudi*. *Pedunculi* sulcati, bipollicares, uniflori, undique densè pilosi et glandulosi, basi saepiusque supra medium bracteolâ linear-lanceolatâ canaliculatâ muniti. *Involucrum* hispidissimum, dupli ordine poly-(14—18)phyllum : *foliolis* ligulatis, obtusis, basi subtus obtusè carinatis, apice planis membranaceis latioribusque. *Flosculi* lutei, numerosi, hermaphroditi, bilabiati : *tubo* glanduloso, basi 5-angulo, fauce dilatato ; *labio exteriore* elliptico-oblongo, obtusè tridenticulato, 4-nervio, nervis intermediis profundè bipartitis ; *interiore* bipartito : *segmentis* lanceolatis, acutis, revolutis, nervis 2 longè intramarginalibus. *Filamenta* glabra ; *articulo superiore* teretiusculo, duplo breviore. *Antheræ* appendiculâ linear, obtusa, subfalcata, cartilagineâ coronatae basi bisetosæ : *setis* complanatis, attenuatis, æqualibus. *Stylus* glaber, basi callosa. *Stigmata* linearia, truncata, minutè papillosa, recurva. *Achenia* subfusiformia, undique papilloso-scabra. *Discus epigynus* concavus. *Pappus* pilosus, cinereus : *radiis* dupli ordine copiosissimis, denticulato-scabris, deciduis.

The foregoing description of this interesting, and hitherto obscure plant, is taken from the original specimen preserved in the Linnæan herbarium, which together with the extensive collections and library of the late Sir James Edward Smith have now become the property of the Linnean Society. The acquisition of these collections will add much to the honour and credit of the Society, and will tend greatly to advance the science of Natural History in this country. Now that the number of species is so much increased, it is impossible in extensive genera to determine satisfactorily the older ones, without having recourse to the authentic materials on which they were founded.

2. *C. hieracioides*, glabriuscula ; caule subnudo tereti, involucri foliolis cuneato-lanceolatis acutis.

In Brasiliâ. Sello. 4.

Planta herbacea, leviter papillosa, virens. *Radix* perennis, è fibris pluribus, fili emporetici crassitie composita. *Caules* è radice plures, erecti, teretes, subfiliformes, apice tantùm ramosi, foliis ferè destituti, sesquipedales, pennam corvinam crassitie vix adæquantes. *Folia radicalia* maxima, petiolata, patula, oblongo-spathulata, repanda, vix ac ne vix sinuata, uninervia, basi attenuata, suprà prope marginem præsertim scabriuscula, aculeis minutissimis callosis, subtùs ad costam pilosa, palmaria, latitudine ferè biuncialia ; *caulinæ* paucissima (2 v. 4) plurimùm minora, semiamplexicaulia, linearilanceolata, mucronulata, denticulata, uncialia. *Flores* plures (5—7) corymbosi. *Pedunculi* longi, simplices v. bifidi, copiosè papilloso-glandulosi. *Bracteæ* lineares, mucronulatæ. *Involucrum* simplici ordine poly(10-)phyllum : *foliolis* cuneato-lanceolatis, acutis, concavis, extùs copiosè papilloso-glandulosis, scabris. *Receptaculum* nudum. *Flosculi* plures, hermaphroditi, albi ? *tubo* glanduloso : *limbo* eodem breviore, bilabiato ; *labio exteriore* elliptico, obtusè tridenticulato, 4-nervio, patulo ; *interiore* bipartito : *lacinias* lanceolatis, acutis, binerviis, revolutis, sæpè margine conglutinatis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ lanceolatâ acutâ, cartilagineo-membranaceâ coronatæ, basi longè bisetosæ. *Stylus* filiformis, glaber, basi bulbosus. *Stigmata* semicylindrica, recurvata, apice truncata, parùm dilatata, minutèque papillosa. *Achenia* subfusiformia, compressa, papilloso-scabra, 5-costata. *Pappus* pilosus, cinereus, persistens : *radiis* duplii ordine copiosis, scabris, rigidulis.

Very near akin to the preceding species ; but in that the stem is angular and somewhat leafy, and the whole plant clothed with bristly

bristly hairs. The flowers are also larger; and the leaflets of the involucrum nearly twice the number, and arranged in a double series. The genus, which appears to be a very natural one, is essentially distinguished from *Trixis* by the naked receptacle.

PROUSTIA. Lag. et Dec.

Receptaculum pilosum. Flosculi 5. Pappi radiis penicillatis.

Involucrum polyphyllum, imbricatum.

Involucrum tubulosum, polyphyllum: squamis ellipticis, integerimis, multiplici serie adpressè imbricatis. Receptaculum parvum, copiosè pilosum. Flosculi 5, hermaphroditi, bilabiati; labio exteriore ligulato, tridenticulato, 4-nervio, patulo, demùm revoluto; interiore profundè bipartito: segmentis linear-lanceolatis, binerviis, obtusiusculis, revolutis, primùm conglutinatis. Antheræ in tubum connatæ, basi bisetæ: setis simplicibus v. ramulosis: appendicula terminalis linearis, acutiuscula, cartilaginea. Stigma bilobum: lobis apice truncatis, papilloso-pruinosis, recurvis. Achenia cuneata, compressa, pilosa v. teretiuscula et papillosa: disco epigyno dilatato. Pappus persistens: radiis dupli ordine copiosis, apice penicillatis.

Arbusculæ v. Frutices ramosissimi. Folia alterna, indivisa. Flores thyrsoidei v. fasciculato-corymbosi, purpurei aut lutei.

* *Floribus thyrsoideis purpureis, acheniis pilosis, pappo colorato.*

Propriæ.

1. *P. pyrifolia, foliis petiolatis cordato-rotundis ovalibusve subtus tomentosis.*

Proustia pyrifolia. Lag. et Dec. in Ann. Mus. 19. p. 70. t. 4.

In Chili prope Talcahuana (Ludovicus Née); ad Coquimbo. Caldcleugh. h.

Arbuscula erecta, ramosissima, tempore florendi ornatissima.

Rami

Rami teretes, à casu foliorum nodosi, tomento cinereo deciduo vestiti. *Folia* omnino Mali v. *Cydoniae*, alterna, petiolata, subrotundo-cordata v. ovalia, abruptè mucronulata, mucronulo brevissimo conico, margine integerrima, v. nunc sèpè dentibus pluribus mucronulatis instructa, coriacea, basi nunc rotundata, tunc obsoletius cordata, suprà viridia, nitida, glandulisque elevatis copiosè ornata, reticulato-venosissima, subtùs tomento denso cinereo, demùm flavicanti et partim deciduo, instructa, sesqui- v. ferè tri-pollicaria, unciam aut sesquiunciam lata. *Petioli* teretes, densè tomentosi, suprà depressiusculi, 3 lineas longi, basi crassiore remanenti, inde rami tuberculati. *Flores* purpurei, in thyrsi ampio copiosissimi, glomerati, hinc comosi. *Rachis* et *pedicelli* omnino lanati. *Involucrum* oblongo-cylindricum, polyphyllum: *squamis* ovalibus, obsoletè mucronulatis, coriaceis; *extimis* ovatis, levissimè lanuginosis, margine ciliatis, adpressè et decussatim imbricatis. *Receptaculum* punctum pilosum. *Flosculi* 5, hermaphroditi, bilabiati; *labio exteriore* ligulato, acutè tridenticulato, parùm revoluto; *interiore* profundè bipartito, spiraliter revoluto: *laciniis* linearibus, acutis, primùm marginibus leviter conglutinatis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ linearî acutâ cartilagineâ terminatæ, basi bisetæ: *setis* linearibus, compressis, basi ramulosis. *Stigma* bilobum: *lobis* crassis, recurvulis, apice obtusis, minutè papilloso-pruinosis. *Achenia* pilosa. *Pappus* purpureus: *radiis* basi solutis, apice penicillatis.

2. P. *oblongifolia*, foliis petiolatis oblongis subtùs tomentosis.
In Peruviâ. Ruiz et Pavon. ½.

Præcedenti similis. *Rami* teretes, flexuosi, post foliorum lapsum nodulosi, tomento cinereo caduco primò vestiti, glandulisque elevatis persistentibus perparcè muniti. *Folia* alterna, petiolata,

tiolata, oblonga, mucronata, mucrone brevi subulato recto, margine integerrima v. parcè denticulata, coriacea, suprà viridia, lucida, reticulato-venosissima, venis siccitate prominulis, subtùs densè cinereo-tomentosa, ferè bipollucaria, 9 lineas v. parùm ultra lata. Flores glomerati, in thyrum confertum ovatum dispositi. Pedunculi et pedicelli brevissimi, densè lanati. Involucrum polyphyllum, decussatim imbricatum; squamis exterioribus ovatis, acutiusculis, concavis; interioribus oblongis, obtusis, pariter coriaceis, levissimè lanuginosis. Flosculi 5, omnino ut in præcedente. Antheræ basi bisetæ: setis basi ramulosis: appendiculâ linearis, acutiusculâ. Stigma bilobum: lobis semiteretibus, obtusis, crassis, minutè papillosum. Achenia pilosa. Pappus fusco-purpureus: radiis apice penicillatis, imâ basi connexis.

This species is intimately allied to the preceding; but its oblong, and much narrower leaves, appear to constitute a specific distinction.

** *Floribus pappoque albis, acheniis papilloso-scabris, teretiusculis.*

3. *P. reticulata*, foliis sessilibus oblongo-cuneatis serrulatis glabris, thyro composito laxo.

Proustia reticulata. *Lag. MSS.*

Perdicium serrulatum. *Herb. S. et M.*

In Mexico. *Sesse et Mocinno.* h.

Frutex erectus, rigidus, ramosissimus. Rami sulcati, glabri.

Folia sessilia, oblongo-cuneata, quandoque obovata, argutè serrulata, coriacea, basin versus integerrima, utrinque glabra, siccitate lutescenti-viridia, costâ venisque ramosissimis prominulis reticulata, subtùs punctis numerosissimis resinosis ornata, 3 pollices longa, unciam v. sesquiunciam lata; rameis linearis-oblongis, mucronulatis, vix pollicaribus.

Flores

Flores glomerati (glomeruli 4—9-flori), in thyrum laxum, obtusè pyramidatum digesti, albi, siccitate flavescentes. *Involucrum* tubulosum, imbricatum, ferè semunciale : *squamis* ovalibus, obtusis, ciliatis, adpressis. *Receptaculum* pilosum. *Flosculi* 5, hermaphroditi, bilabiati ; *labio exteriore* ligulato, obtusè 3-denticulato ; *interiore* bipartito : *segmentis* linear-lanceolatis, obtusis, revolutis, primùm conglutinatis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ lanceolatâ muticâ cartilagineâ coronatæ, basi bisetæ : *setis* simplicibus, setaceo-subulatis, acutissimis, ipsâ antherâ longioribus. *Stigma* bilobum, minutè papilloso-pruinosum. *Achenia* cuneata, compressa, minutè papillosa. *Pappus* albus, demùm flavescentes, deciduus : *radiis* tenuissimis, apice penicillatis.

4. *P. mexicana*, foliis amplexicaulibus cordatis acuminatis denticulatis membranaceis, corymbis fasciculatis, involuci squamis ovato-lanceolatis acuminatis.

Proustia mexicana. *Lag. MSS.*

Perdicium mexicanum. *Herb. S. et M.*

In Mexico. *Sesse et Mocinno*.

Rami erecti, sulcati, pube glandulosâ vestiti. *Folia* alterna, amplexicaulia, cordato-ovata v. oblonga, acuminata, argutè copiosèque spinuloso-denticulata, tunc subserrata, membranacea, reticulato-venosa, utrinque asperè papillosa, viridia, subtùs et ramuli, præcipue juventute, atomis resinosis aureomicantibus adspersa, pollicaria v. bipollicaria, unciam lata. *Flores* fasciculato-corymbosi. *Pedicelli* squamis ovato-lanceolatis, acuminatis, recurvulis, minutè glandulosis muniti. *Involucra* oblonga, tubulosa, polyphylla, copiosè glandulosa : *squamis* ovato-lanceolatis, acuminatis, adpressis. *Flosculi* 5, hermaphroditi, bilabiati, albi ; *labio exteriore* ligulato, acutè tridentato ; *interiore* bipartito : *laciniis* linearibus,

bus, obtusiusculis, revolutis. *Antheræ* basi setis longis, simplicibus, acutis munitæ, appendiculâ linear-i-lanceolatâ, obtusiusculâ terminatæ. *Stigma* bifidum : *laciniis* semi-teretibus, truncatis, recurvis, papilloso-pruinosis. *Achenia* teretuscula, papilloso-scabra. *Pappus* albus : *radiis* denticulis scabris, imâ basi connexis, apice subsimplici !

*** *Flores laxè spicati, rosei.* *Achenia cuneato-trigona, villosa.*
Pappus capillaris, fusco-purpureus. Harmodia.

5. *P. cuneifolia*, foliis lanceolato-cuneatis mucronulatis dentatis coriaceis glabris, floribus spicatis.

In Chili ad Coquimbo. Caldcleugh. h.

Frutex erectus, rigidus, facie proteaceâ. *Rami* teretes, glabri, foliosi. *Folia* alterna, petiolata, bipinnicaria, lanceolato-cuneata, mucronulata, coriacea, rigida, glabra, subtùs costâ prominente venisque conspicuis reticulata, margine nunc integerrima, nunc denticulata, illinc dentibus paucis majoribus ad apicem instructa, infernè attenuata, vix semipollucem lata. *Flores* sessiles, solitarii v. per paria remotiusculi, bracteâ linear-i-lanceolatâ mucronatâ foliacea suffulti, hinc quasi axillares, in spicam terminalem, nunc basi ramosam, palmarem dispositi. *Involucra* polyphylla, imbri-cata, parcè lanuginosa : *squamis* ovalibus ellipticisve, obtusis, concavis, coriaceis, margine præcipue lanuginosis, adpressis. *Receptaculum* villosum. *Flosculi* 5, hermaphroditi, bilabiati, rosei ; *labio exteriore* ligulato, acutè tridentato ; *interiore* bipartito, revoluto : *laciniis* linearibus, obtusis. *Antheræ* basi setis 2, longis, simplicibus, acutis auctæ, appendiculâ ligulatâ, acutiusculâ, cartagineâ terminatæ. *Stigma* bifidum : *lobis* lingulatis, obtusis, minutè papillosis, recurvis. *Achenia* cuneata, trigona, sericeo-villosa.

villosa. *Pappus* fusco-purpureus, mollissimus: *radiis* longis, capillaceis, apice puberulis.

ACOURTIA.

Receptaculum nudum. *Flosculi* indefiniti. *Pappi radiis* penicillatis. *Involucrum* polyphyllum, imbricatum.

Involucrum turbinatum, multiplici ordine polyphyllum, imbricatum: *squamis* lanceolatis, mucronatis, adpressis, integerimis, basi dilatatâ cum rachi articulatis, deciduis! *Receptaculum* nudum, scrobiculatum. *Flosculi* plurimi (25—30) hermaphroditi, bilabiati, æquales; *labio exteriore* ligulato, obtusè tridentato, 4-nervio; *interiore* bipartito, revoluto: *segmentis* linearibus, obtusis, binerviis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ linearî-lanceolatâ, acutiusculâ, cartilagineâ terminatae, basi bisetosæ: *setis* simplicibus, obtusis. *Stigmata* linearia, truncata, apice papillosa. *Achenia* teretiuscula, (semuncialia) undique papilloso-scabra: *disco epigyno* parùm dilatato, planiusculo. *Pappi radiis* simplici serie contiguis, deciduis, apice penicillatis.

Planta fruticosa, habitu omnino Serratulæ, glauca. Caulis sesquiv. tri-pedalis, erectus, rigidus, teres, paniculatim ramosus. Rami sulcati, glabri, virides, nunc sanguinolenti, pennæ conviae crassitie. Folia alterna, amplexicaulia, cordato-oblonga, quandoque supernè latiora, subspathulata, mucrone calloso instructa, margine spinuloso-serrata, posticibus rotundatis, substantiâ cartilaginea, rigida, utrinque nuda, reticulato-venosissima, 2—4-uncialia, pollicem v. sesquipolllicem lata; summis multò minoribus, sæpiusque integerrimis. Flores in apice ramorum plures (3—10) corymboso-globerati, Serratulæ coronatæ magnitudine. Pedunculi teretes, glabri, semipolllicares. Involucra sœpè sanguineo-colorata. Flosculi purpurei:

purplei : nervis infra sinus laciniarum dichotomis. Pappus niveus.

1. *A. formosa.*

In Mexico. *Sesse et Mocinno.* h.

This genus agrees with the preceding in the structure of its involucrum, and with *Trixis* in the indefinite number of its florets; but it is distinguished from both by its naked receptacle, and from *Clarionia* by the structure of its pappus, by its equal florets, as well as by its widely different habit.

I have dedicated this very distinct and interesting genus to Mrs. A'Court, of Heytesbury House, Wilts, whose botanical taste and knowledge have long merited for her this compliment.

CLARIONIA. Lag. et Dec.

PEREZIA. Lag. Amen. Nat. 1. p. 31.

Receptaculum nudum. Flosculi indefiniti. Pappus capillaris.

Involucrum polyphyllum, imbricatum.

Involucrum oblongum, cylindricum, multiplici ordine polyphyllum, imbricatum. Receptaculum nudum. Flosculi omnes hermaphroditi, bilabiati; marginales majores, radium æmulantes; labio exteriore longo, ligulato, 4-nervio, obtusè tridenticulato, patulo; interiore profundè bipartito: segmentis linearì-angustissimis, binerviis, apice attenuatis, spiraliter revolutis, primò margine conglutinatis, uti saepius per facilè pro uno et simplici habitis; disci multoties breviores; labio exteriore elliptico, concavo, obtusè tridenticulato; interiore bipartito, spiraliter revoluto: segmentis similiiter conglutinatis, at latioribus. Filamenta capillaria, glabra, articulo manifesto. Antheræ appendiculâ linearî, acutâ, cartilagineo-

cartilagineo-membranaceâ terminatæ, basi bisetæ: setis inæqualibus, validiusculis, mucronatis, simplicibus. *Stigmata* linearia, truncata, revoluta, suprà canaliculata, apice parùm dilatato, papilloso. *Achenia* teretiuscula v. compressa: *discus epigyno* dilatato. *Pappus* persistens, pilosus: *radiis* dupli ordine copiosis, scabris, apice simplibus.

Herbæ perennes. Flores solitarii, magni, rubri v. albi.

* *Caulescentes foliis indivisis.*

1. *C. spathulata*, foliis planis spathulatis.

Clarionia spathulata. *Lag. MSS.*

In Chili. *Ruiz et Pavon.* 4.

Herba cæspitosa. *Caulis* pedalis, erectus, simplicissimus, aliquando ramulum unicum protrudit, uniflorus, filiformis, glaber, crassitie pennæ corvinæ, apicem versus glandulis pedicellatis copiosè ornatus. *Folia radicalia* ferè omnino *Othonnæ cheirifoliæ*, numerosa, spathulata, plana, coriacea, margine integerrima v. crenulata, utrinque lætè viridia, glaberrima, subtùs costâ validâ venisque reticulatis instructa, basin versus in petiolum attenuata, sesquipollucaria, ad laminam latitudine unguem adæquantia; *caulinæ* sparsa, plurimùm minora, stricta, subadpressa, linguata, margine integerrima ac cartilaginea, basi dilatatâ et denticulatâ, unguicularia v. nunc (præsertim inferiora) ferè uncialia. *Flos* terminalis, solitarius. *Involucrum* triplici ordine polyphyllum, imbricatum: *squamis* ligulatis, integerrimis, adpressis, minutè glandulosis; *interioribus* mucronulatis, longioribus. *Flosculi* hermaphroditi, bilabiati, albi; *labio exteriore* longo, ligulato, obtusè tridenticulato, 4-nervio; *interiore* bipartito: *segmentis* angustissimis, revolutis, binerviis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ linearî, acutâ, coloratâ,

loratâ, cartilagineâ terminatæ, basi bisetæ : *setis* longissimis, linearibus, complanatis, filamentoso-aristatis. *Stylus* inclusus. *Stigma* bipartitum : *segmentis* linearibus, truncatis, recurvis, apice papillosum. *Achenia* ancipiti-compressa, adpressè sericeo-villosissima. *Pappus* pilosus, inæqualis, crenatim denticulatus, fusco-cinereus.

Near akin to *Clarionia lactucoides*, the *Perdicium lactucoides* of Vahl (*Act. Havn. 1. pars 2. p. 11. t. 5.*), which however is readily distinguished by having the radical leaves on long foot-stalks, lanceolate, and obtuse. In other respects both plants are much alike.

2. *C. recurvata*, foliis recurvatis linearibus rugosis margine revolutis spinuloso-denticulatis.

Perdicium recurvatum. *Vahl. l. c. 1. p. 13. t. 7.* (bona.)

In Chili. *Ruiz et Pavon. 4.*

Caulescens, sempervirens, fruticulosa. *Caules* palmares, dense foliosi. *Folia* undique versa, basibus valde dilatatis, margine membranaceo-ciliatis, imbricata, sursùm recurvato-patula, linearia, spinulâ cartilagineâ albâ apiculata, nitida, viridia, margine revoluta, suprà transversim reticulato-rugosa, costâque latâ planiusculâ instructa, utrinque glandulis minutis pedicellatis, præsertim ad costam, munita, in periphæriâ paginæ superioris præcipue denticulis plurimis spinulosis, cartilagineis, albis, unicâ serie digestis, aliisque raro adspersis, ornata, pollicaria, sesquilineam lata. *Pedunculus* solitarius, terminalis, tripollicaris, erectus, filiformis, uniflorus, pube glandulosâ asperulus, foliolis aliquot sparsis, linearibus, costâ validâ carinatis, spinuloso-mucronatis, margine ciliatis, adpressis munitus. *Involucrum* campanulatum, unciale : *squamis* multiplici ordine adpressè imbricatis,

catis, ligulatis, spinuloso-mucronatis, extus papilloso-glandulosis, asperiusculis; exterioribus margine spinuloso-ciliatis; interioribus margine membranaceis, integerrimis. Flosculi hermaphroditi, bilabiati, albi; labio exteriore ligulato, 3-denticulato, 4-nervio; interiore bipartito, membranaceo, spiraliter revoluto. Antheræ appendiculâ linear-lanceolatâ acutâ, basi longè bisetosæ. Stigma exsertum, bipartitum: segmentis semicylindricis, recurvatis, apice lato truncato, minutè papilloso. Achenia ancipiti-compressa, glabra. Pappus pilosus, inæqualis, creberrimè denticulatus, fusco-brunneus.

** *Acaules foliis pinnatifidis, acheniis elongatis, teretiusculis.*
Palesia.

3. *C. runcinata*, foliorum segmentis rotundatis spinoso-serratis undulatis, scapis elongatis, involuci squamis integerrimis.

Perezia runcinata. *Lag. MSS.*

In Mexico. *Sesse et Mocinno.* 4.

Radix fusiformis. *Caudex* brevissimus, lanatus. *Folia* plurima, radicalia, breviter petiolata, spathulato-oblonga, runcinato-pinnatifida, membranacea, utrinque viridia, punctis elevatis aspera, siccitate tactu arida (an similiter in vivis?) 3—5-pollicaria, unciam v. sesquiunciam lata: *lobis* latis, rotundatis, crebrè inæqualiterque spinoso-serratis, undulatis. *Scapi* erecti, filiformes, scabri, uniflori, folia longitudine æquantes, apicem versus paululum crassiores. *Involucrum* multiplice ordine polyphyllum, imbricatum: *squamis* lanceolatis, pungenti-mucronatis, integerrimis, rigidis, aliisque similibus per scapi superius dimidium sparsis. *Receptaculum* nudum. *Flosculi* omnes hermaphroditi, bilabiati, nervis infra laciniarum sinus profundè bipartitis; *exteriores* multò majores; *labium exterius* maximum, ligulatum,

latum, patulum, apice tridenticulatum, nervis 4 æqualiter distantibus; *interius* profundè bipartitum: *segmentis* linearilanceolatis, binerviis, apice spiraliter revolutis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ lanceolatâ acutâ cristatæ, basi longè bicornutæ. *Stigmata* linearia, revoluta, suprà canaliculata, apice truncato, dilatato, papilloso. *Achenia* teretiuscula, papilloso-muricata, semuncialia: *disco epigyno* dilatato, calloso. *Pappus* longus, pilosus, cinereo-fulvellus: *radiis* dupli ordine confertissimis, scabris, apice simplicibus, inæqualibus.

4. C.? *virens*, foliorum segmentis ellipticis spinuloso-ciliatis planis, flore sessili, involucri squamis dentatis.

In Peruviæ summis alpibus Cordilleras de los Andes Hispánicè dictis. *Ruiz et Pavon.* 4.

Herba ex habitu *Cl. Magellanicae* affinis videtur, acaulis, cæspitosa, intensè clarèque virens. *Radix* e fibris compluribus longis crassiusculis composita. *Folia* in orbem acta, numerosa, patentissima, profundè pinnatifida, circumscriptione lanceolata, membranacea, tactu arida, rigentia, sessi-
qui- v. bipollicaria, semunciam lata, basi tenuissimè membranaceo-ciliatâ, costâ validâ infernè latiore subtùs convexâ: *segmentis* ovalibus, planis, margine ciliis plurimis cartilagineis, setaceo-spinulosis ornatis, apice aristâ tenui, longiusculâ, rectâ instructis, utrinque oculo armato punctis numerosis, minutissimis adspersis. *Flos* solitarius, sessilis. *Involucrum* polyphyllum: *squamis* oblongis, mucronatis, spinuloso-dentatis. Cætera mihi ignota.

HOMOIANTHUS. Bonpl., Dec.

HOMANTHIS. Kunth.

PEREZIAE SP., Lag.

PERDICII SP., Vahl.

Receptaculum tuberculatum. *Pappus* pilosus. *Involucrum* dupli ordine polyphyllum, subæquale.

Involucrum hemisphaericum, dupli ordine polyphyllum: foliolis longitudine æqualibus; exterioribus dentatis; interioribus integerrimis, mucronatis. *Receptaculum* tuberculis truncatis margine fimbriatis instructum. *Flosculi* subæquales, hermaphroditi, bilabiati; *labio* exteriore elliptico, concavo, marginibus induplicatis, obtusè tridenticulato, substantiâ crassiusculo, cartilagineo; interiore membranaceo, bipartito: *lacinias* linearibus, spiraliter revolutis. *Filamenta* complanata, glabra, articulo manifesto. *Antheræ* appendiculâ lineari-lanceolatâ acutâ cristatæ, basi bisetæ: setis simplicibus, attenuatis. *Stylus* filiformis. *Stigma* inclusum, bifidum: lobis semicylindricis, apice truncatis, papilloso-pruinosis. *Achenia* compressa, densè hirsuta. *Pappus* pilosus: radiis dupli serie digestis, denticulato-scabris, basi solutis, deciduis.

Herbæ perennes. Folia pinnatifida. Flores solitarii v. corymbosi. Flosculi cærulei v. albi. Pappus sordidè fulvus. Achenia villis adpressis ferrugineis nitidis tecta.

1. H. *pinnatifidus*, inermis; foliorum segmentis ovalibus obtusis ciliatis imbricatis, caule unifloro foliis breviore.

Homoianthus. Dec. in Ann. Mus. xix. p. 65. t. 3. f. 2.

Homanthis pinnatifidus. Kunth in H. et B. Nov. Gen. et Sp. Pl. 4. p. 308.

Chætanthera pinnatifida. *H. et B. Pl. Æqu.* 2. *p. 170. t. 136.*

Perezia pinnatifida. *Lag. MSS.*

In Peruviæ alpibus summis frigidissimis. *Ruiz et Pavon.* 4.

Herba perennis, subacaulis, cæspitosa. *Radix* e fibris compluribus filo emporetico crassitie æqualibus, longissimis composita. *Caules* plures, foliis duplò breviores, erecti, simplices, uniflori, teretes, supernè pilosi, vix pennam anserinam crassitie æquantes. *Folia radicalia* plurima, in orbem acta, patula, petiolata, profundè pinnatifida, circumscriptione linearia, obtusa, costâ dilatatâ, subtùs convexâ, nervosâ, bi- v. tri-pollicaria : *segmentis* subrotundo-ovalibus, obtusis, inæquilateris, coriaceis, suprà punctis numerosis elevatis asperis, subtùs glabris, margine setaceo-ciliatis, sæpiùs conduplicatis, invicem se imbricatis, unguicularibus ; *caulina* paucissima (2—3) linear-lanceolata, duplicato-serrata, serraturis aristatis, semuncialia, 2 lineas lata, petiolis longioribus membranaceis paginam ipsam latitudine penissimè æquantibus. *Petioli* lineares, dilatati, nervosi, margine membranacei, basin versus latiores, subtùs striati, 2—3-unciales, 3—4 lineas lati. *Flores* terminales, solitarii, albi. *Involucrum* hemisphæricum, dupli ordine poly-(24—30)phyllum, æquale : *foliolis exterioribus* duplicato-serratis (serraturis aristatis) foliis caulinis subsimilibus ; *intimis* ligulatis, apice rotundatis, mucronato-aristatis, margine membranaceis, integerrimis. *Receptaculum* an tuberculatum ? *Flosculi* omnes hermaphroditi, æquales, bilabiati ; *labio exteriore* ovali-oblongo, obtusè tridenticulato, substantiâ crassâ cartilagineâ, marginibus inflexis concavo ; *interiore* membranaceo, bipartito : *laciniis* linearibus, attenuatis, spiraliter revolutis. *Filamenta* complanata, glabra. *Antheræ* basi setis 2 simplicibus attenuatis auctæ, appendiculâ

diculâ linearî-lanceolatâ acutâ atro-purpureâ terminatæ. *Stigma* bilobum, inclusum : *lobis* semicylindricis, truncatis, minutè papillosis, recurvis. *Achenia* elliptica, compressiuscula, densè hirsuta. *Pappus* pilosus, creberrimè denticulatus, fulvellus, deciduus.

2. *H. multiflorus*, spinosus ; foliis dentato-pinnatifidis, floribus corymbosis.

Homoianthus. *Dec. l. c. t. 3. f. 6.*

Homanthis multiflorus. *Kunth l. c. 4. p. 14.*

Chætanthera multiflora. *H. et B. l. c. 2. p. 168. t. 135.*

In Peruviæ locis alpinis frigidis Provinciarum Cantæ, Tar-
mæ, Huanuci, Huamalies, Jaujæ, et Huarochiri. *Ruiz et
Pavon. 4.*

Radix fusiformis. *Caulis* pedalis v. cubitalis, erectus, foliosus,
teres, villis mollibus articulatis viscidis copiosè vestitus,
crassitie digitæ minoris. *Folia* alterna, sessilia, bi- v. tri-
pollicaria, linearî-lanceolata, dentato-pinnatifida, coriacea,
suprà pube glandulosâ, subtùs villis articulatis copiosè
vestita : *dentibus* magnis, triangulari-ovatis, simplicibus v.
rariùs tricuspidatis, spinulâ albâ rectâ terminatis. *Flores*
terminales, numerosi (20—30) in corymbum digesti. *Pedunculi* crassi, lanati, bracteati. *Involucrum* dupli ordine
poly-(10—16)phyllum : *foliolis* ovato-lanceolatis, spinuloso-
acuminatis, glanduloso-tomentosis ; *intimis* margine lato sca-
rioso apice producto, hinc abruptè emarginato-truncatis
cum mucrone ; *extimis* margine inde unidentatis. *Recep-
taculum* convexum, tuberculatum : *tuberculis* truncatis, mar-
gine fimbriatis. *Flosculi* albo-cærulei, quàm in præcedente
triplò minores, hermaphroditi, æquales, bilabiati ; *labio ex-
teriori* elliptico-oblongo, concavo, subcartilagineo, obtusè
tridenticulato ; *interiore* membranaceo, bipartito : *laciniis*
lanceolato-

lanceolato-linearibus, acutiusculis, primùm conglutinatis, demùm spiraliter revolutis. *Antheræ* basi setis 2 simplicibus munitæ : *appendiculâ* linear-i-lanceolatâ acutâ atro-violaceâ. *Stigma* bifidum : *laciniis* semicylindricis, apice latiore, truncato, minutè papilloso. *Achenia* cuneato-oblonga, pilis rufis hirsutissima. *Pappus* pilosus, fulvus : *radiis* creberrimè denticulatis, mucronulo simplici nudo apiculatis.

Obs. Planta *Scorzonerae peruvianæ* nomine a Ruiz inscripta. Floret tempore pluviarum. Vulgo *Escorzonero*. Maximè refrigerans et cordialis est : usus ejus communissimus est in omni Regno Peruviano. *Ruiz MSS.*

This genus is intimately allied to the preceding ; but its tuberculate receptacle, the consistence and greater uniformity of its florets, and its involucrum composed of a double series of nearly equal scales, appear to constitute a sufficient generic distinction. Intimately allied to the last species is the *Perdicium squarrosum* of Vahl (*Act. Havn.* i. par. 2. p. 11. t. 6.), which is, however, distinguished by its more slender habit ; by the more numerous and closely disposed segments of its leaves ; and lastly, by having much fewer flowers on longer peduncles, disposed in a loose spreading corymbus.

b. PAPPO PLUMOSO.

LEUCERIA. Lag. et Dec.

Flosculi marginales radiati. Pappi radiis plumosis simplici serie dispositis. Involucrum imbricatum.

Involucrum semiglobosum, triplici circiter serie polyphyllum, imbricatum. *Receptaculum* nudum, scrobiculatum. *Flosculi* plurimi, hermaphroditi, bilabiati ; in periphæriâ majores ligulâ longiore patulo et hinc radium constituentibus ; *labio exteriore* ligulato, 4-nervio, tridentato ; *interiore* profundè bipartito : *segmentis* linear-i-angustissimis, obtusiusculis,

culis, spiraliter revolutis, margine primùm conglutinatis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ lanceolatâ terminatæ, basi longè bisetæ : *setis* tenuissimis, simplicibus. *Stigmata* semicylindrica, apice dilatato, truncato, papilloso. *Achenia* cuneata, compressa, pilosa. *Pappi radiis* plumosis, simplici ordine contiguis, basi conferruminatis.

Herbæ caulescentes, niveo-lanatæ, radice sæpè annuâ. Folia raro indivisa. Flores pedunculati, purpurei, albi, aut flavi. Ligulæ nervi exteriores longè intramarginales. Pappus niveus.

* *Involucri squamis multiplici serie imbricatis ; intimis intramarginalibus, scariosis, paleas mentientibus. Propriæ.*

1. *L. acanthoides*, caule subsimplici, foliis amplexicaulibus pinnatifidis spinuloso-mucronatis.

In Chili. *Ruiz et Pavon. 4.*

Herba perennis, niveo-canescens. *Radix* fusiformis, crassa, fusca. *Caulis* cubitalis, strictus, simplex, teres, gracilis, uno latere erubescens, lanugine niveo et setulis numerosis glanduliferis obsitus, crassitie vix pennam corvinam adæquans. *Folia radicalia* ferè *Arctotis tristis*, longè petiolata, profundè pinnatifida, niveo-lanata, palmaria : *segmentis* oblongis, mucronulatis, tridentatis, v. rariùs sinuato-dentatis, unguicularibus ; *caulina* amplexicaulia, pinnatifida, subtùs lanuginosa, suprà pallidè viridia, et lanugine ferè destituta, punctis elevatis glanduliferis, scabriuscula, pollicaria v. sesquipollucaria : *laciniis* ovato-lanceolatis, spinuloso-mucronatis, margine revolutis, integerrimis. *Flores* plures (3—5 v. 7) longè pedunculati, in corymbum digesti, terminales. *Involucrum* semiglobosum, ut et pedunculi tripollicares, lanuginosum, glandulisque pedicellatis munitum : *squamis* multiplici ordine imbricatis, lanceolatis, muticis v. mucronulatis, membranaceis, adpressis. *Receptaculum* scrobiculatum.

Flosculi

Flosculi cyanei, omnes hermaphroditi, bilabiati, tubo cylindrico limbo æquali; *labio exteriore* elliptico, obsoletè tridenticulato; *interiore* bipartito, spiraliter revoluto: *laciniis* linearibus, obtusiusculis, primùm margine conglutinatis. *Antheræ* basi longè bisetæ, appendiculâ linear-lanceolatâ obtusâ terminatæ. *Stigma* bipartitum: *laciniis* semicylindricis, apice dilatato-truncatis, minutè papillois, recurvis. *Achenia* cuneato-compressa, pilosa. *Pappus* niveus, caducus: *radiis* plumosis, basi leviter connexis.

2. *L. divaricata*, caule diffusè ramosissimo, foliis amplexicaulibus inciso-pinnatifidis.

In Chili ad Coquimbo. *Caldcleugh.* ♂.

Caulis tripedalis, erectus, ramosissimus, divaricatus, uti cum totâ ferè herbâ glandulis pedicellatis confertissimis necnon lanugine albâ parciori instructus. *Folia caulina* (superiora tantùm vidi) remotè alterna, amplexicaulia, inciso-pinnatifida, subtûs costâ prominenti instructa, lanugine niveâ vestita, suprà opaco-viridia, glandulosa, uncialia v. sesquiuncialia; *segmentis* lanceolatis, cuspidatis, margine revolutis, integerrimis; *imis duobus* sagittæ more porrectis. *Flores* laxè paniculati. *Pedunculi* filiformes, uti cum *involucro* copiosissimè glandulosi atque lanuginosi, sesquipollicares. *Involucrum* subglobosum, truncatum: *squamis* multiplici ordine imbricatis; *exterioribus* ovato-lanceolatis, obtusis, adpressis; *intimis* longioribus, acutis. *Receptaculum* scrobiculatum. *Flosculi* flavi, omnes hermaphroditi, bilabiati; *marginales* plures (15—16) radium æmulantes; *labio exteriore* ligulato, tridenticulato, in radio majore patulo, in disco revoluto; *interiore* bipartito: *segmentis* linear-angustissimis, membranaceis, primò conglutinatis, revolutis. *Filamenta* capillaria, glabra. *Antheræ* basi setis 2 tenuissimis simplicibus

plicibus longis auctæ, appendiculâ linearî acutâ antherâ ipsâ longiore terminatæ. *Stigma* bipartitum : *segmentis* semicylindricis, revolutis, apice dilatato-truncatis, papilloso-pruinosis. *Achenia* oblonga, compressa, undique setulosa. *Pappus* albus, fugax : *radiis* plumosis, simplici ordine digestis, imâ basi connexis.

** *Involucri squamis dupli ordine dispositis, subæqualibus. Casiopea.*

3. *L. cinerea*, foliis petiolatis pinnatifidis : lobis subrotundis dentatis, involucri squamis mucronulatis.

In Chili, aridis arenosis ad urbem Conceptionis. Ruiz et Pavon. ⊙.

Herba facie *Senecionis viscosæ*, niveo-lanata. *Radix* capillaceo-fibrosa. *Caulis* erectus, teres, ramulosus, altitudine perquām varius, bi- v. tri-pollicaris, nunc palmaris v. spithameus. *Folia* alterna, petiolata, cuneato-oblonga, sinuoso-pinnatifida, subtùs densius lanata, basi attenuata, uncialia v. sesquiuncialia : *segmentis* subrotundo-ovatis, nunc trapezoideo-ovatis, mucronulatis, margine paululum reflexis, dentibusque inæqualibus mucronulatis instructis, 3 lineas longis. *Petoli* lineares, margine membranaceo-alati, subtùs convexiusculi, striati, hinc inde lanati, vix unciales. *Flores* pauci (3—5) magnitudine et facie ferè *Senecionis elegantis*, pedunculosi, rubicundi. *Involucrum* globosum, dupli v. raro subtriplici ordine polyphyllum, imbricatum : *squamis* ellipticis sive elliptico-oblongis, mucronulatis, membranaceis, adpressis, longitudine subæqualibus, extus glanduloso-pubescentibus, apice sanguineo-coloratis. *Flosculi* omnes hermaphroditi, bilabiati ; *labio exteriore* ligulato, elliptico-oblongo, tridentato ; *interiore* bipartito, revoluto : *segmentis* linearibus, obtusiusculis, margine congluti-

natis. *Antheræ* basi setis longis, tenuissimis, simplicibus auctæ, appendiculâ lanceolatâ acutâ terminatæ. *Achenia* cuneata, compressa, pilis brevibus adpressiusculis vestita. *Pappus* niveus, fugax: *radiis* leviter plumosis, imâ basi connexis.

4. *L. pulchella*, foliis amplexicaulibus pinnatifidis: laciniis ovato-lanceolatis margine revolutis subintegerrimis, involucri squamis acuminatis.

In Chili ad Coquimbo. *Caldcleugh.* ♂.

Herba niveo-lanata, glandulis pedicellatis copiosè munita. *Radix* fibrosa, annua. *Caulis* erectus, ramosus, teres, 4—5-uncialis. *Folia radicalia* petiolata, patula, cuneata, dentata; *caulina* amplexicaulia, sinuato-pinnatifida, mucronulata, uncialia, margine revoluta, subtùs niveo-lanata, suprà viridia, glandulisque copiosis ornata, vix lanuginosa: *segmentis* ovatis v. lanceolatis, simplicibus, aut raro denticulatis, apice mucronulatis. *Flores* pedunculati, rubicundi, magnitudine præcedentis. *Pedunculi* tomentosi et glandulosi, filiformes, graciles, uniflori, pollicares v. sesquipolligares. *Involucrum* hemisphæricum, copiosè glandulosum, atratum: *squamis* dupli serie digestis, lanceolatis, acuminatis, adpressis, subæqualibus. *Flosculi* omnes hermaphroditi, bilabiati; *labio exteriore* ligulato, patulo, tridenticulato; *interiore* bipartito, revoluto: *laciniis* linearis-angustissimis, primùm margine conglutinatis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ linearis obtusiusculâ membranaceâ terminatæ, basi bisetæ: *setis* simplicibus, basi cuspidatis, antherâ ipsâ paulò brevioribus. *Stigma* bipartitum: *segmentis* semicylindricis, recurvatis, apice dilatato-truncatis, minutè papillosum. *Achenia* hispidula. *Pappus* albus, caducus: *radiis* plumosis, imâ basi connexis.

5. *L. glan-*

5. L. *glandulosa*, foliis sessilibus sinuato-dentatis, involucri squamis mucronulatis.

Cum præcedente. *Caldcleugh.* ⊖.
Herba lanugine albâ glandulisque pedicellatis copiosissimis prædita. *Radix* fibrosa, annua. *Caulis* erectus, ramosus, teres, gracilis, spithameus v. pedalis. *Folia radicalia* brevissimè petiolata, cuneato-oblonga, patentia, acutè sinuato-dentata, sesqui- v. tri-pollicaria; *caulina inferiora* conformia, sed remotius dentata (dentibus mucronulo obtuso terminatis); *superiora* lanceolata, acuminata, nunc integerrima, subamplexicaulia, nunc rariùs tripartita! *Flores* plures, longè pedunculati, intensè rubicundi, necnon majores quàm in præcedente. *Pedunculi* recti, filiformes, uniflori, undique, uti *involucrum*, copiosè lanuginosi atque pilis glandulosis patulis prædicti. *Involucrum* semiglobosum, truncatum, dupli ordine imbricatum: *squamis* oblongis, mucronulatis, subæqualibus, adpressis, margine membranaceis. *Receptaculum* scrobiculatum. *Flosculi* omnes hermaphroditi, bilabiati; *labio exteriore* ligulato, tridenticulato, superficie asperiusculâ; *interiore* bipartito: *segmentis* linearí-attenuatis, revolutis, primùm margine conglutinatis; *marginales* multoties majores, radium æmulantes. *Antheræ* appendiculâ linearí-lanceolatâ acutiusculâ membranaceâ terminatæ, basi bisetæ: *setis* simplicibus, acutis, ipsâ antherâ paulò brevioribus. *Stigma* bipartitum: *laciniis* recurvis, apice dilatato-truncatis, papilloso-pruinosis. *Achenia* cuneata, compressa, pilosissima. *Pappus* niveus, fugax: *radiis* eleganter plumosis, imâ basi in annulum connexis.

The *Trixis seneciooides* of Dr. Hooker's Exotic Flora belongs, as we have elsewhere stated, to this genus, whose receptacle is certainly naked; for the paleaceous scales attributed to its cir-

cumference are clearly nothing more than the scales composing the inner series of the involucrum. The plumose pappus compared with that of the inner floret of the partial capitula of *Polyachyrus*, a genus hereafter to be described, the form and structure of their corolla, the outer lamina of which is traversed in both by four distant slender nerves, and the habit of the plants themselves, show that there is a considerable degree of affinity between these two genera.

PTILURUS.

Flosculi æquales. Pappi radiis plumosis, dupli serie dispositis.

Involucrum subæquale.

Involucrum dupli ordine poly-(18—20)phyllum, subæquale : *foliolis* ovato-lanceolatis, trinerviis, apice membranaceo acuminato radiatis. *Receptaculum* nudum. *Flosculi* omnes hermaphroditi, tubulosi, bilabiati, æquales ; *labio exteriore* ligulato, 4-nervio, obtusè tridenticulato ; *interiore* bipartito, demùm revoluto : *segmentis* linearibus, obtusis, binerviis. *Antheræ* coalitæ, basi longè bisetosæ : *setis* simplicibus : *appendiculâ* linear-i-lanceolatâ, acutâ. *Stigma* bipartitum : *laciniis* semicylindricis, recurvis, apice dilatato-truncatis, pruinosis. *Achenia* elliptico-oblonga, compressa, densè papilloso-glandulosa, apice angustata, disco parvo. *Pappi radiis* crassiusculis, eleganter plumosis, mollissimis, dupli ordine digestis, basi dilatatâ imbricatis ! deciduis.

Herba perennis, humilis, cæspitosa, facie Dauci v. Athamantæ, setulis erectis, glanduliferis, copiosissimè instructa. Radix fusiformis, ramosa. Caulis erectus, teres, subramosus, triangularis, vix calami scriptorii crassitie. Folia supradecomposita, densè glandulosa, pollicaria v. sesquipollicaria : segmentis linearibus, obtusis, sesquilineam longis. Petioli foliis longiores, maximè dilatato-membranacei; inferiorum foliorum latiores

latiōres et longiores, basibus caulis partem inferiorem imbricatim tegentes. Flores terni, brevissimè pedunculati, magni, semiglobosi. Involucrum villis longis articulatis copiosè lanatum : foliolis ovato-lanceolatis, acuminatis, æqualibus, discum paulò superantibus. Flosculi albi.

Obs. Nomen ad pappi structuram refert, a πτῖος pluma, et οὐρα cauda.

1. *P. daucifolius.*

In Peruviæ summis alpibus Cordilleras de los Andes Hispánice dictis. Ruiz et Pavon. 4.

This is another instance of the many analogies that might be pointed out between the *Compositæ* and *Umbelliferæ*; its leaves, their dilated petioles clasping the stem; the pubescence, and indeed the whole habit, has much the air of an umbelliferous plant; and without the flowers the acutest botanist would not be censurable for mistaking it for one of that family. The structure of its involucrum, the equality of its florets, and the rays of the pappus arranged in a double series, with dilated imbricate bases, abundantly distinguish it from *Leuceria*, to which it otherwise comes nearest in affinity.

c. PAPPO PALEACEO.

TRIPTILION. Ruiz et Pavon.

Receptaculum villosum. Flosculi 5. Involucrum polyphyllum, imbricatum.

Involucrum tubulosum, polyphyllum, imbricatum : squamis lanceolatis, apice spinoso-mucronatis ; extimus squarrosis. Receptaculum parvum, dense villosum. Flosculi 5, hermaphroditi, bilabiati ; labio exteriore pataloideo, tridenticulato, 4-nervio (nervis arcuatis), radium per breve patulum constituenti ; interiore membranaceo, bipartito, duplò breviore, revoluto :

revoluto: *laciniis* linear-lanceolatis, obtusiusculis, binerviis, margine primò conglutinatis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ lanceolatâ, acutâ, membranaceâ! terminatæ, basi bisetæ: *setis* simplicibus, nudis, attenuatis. *Stigma* bipartitum: *segmentis* semicylindricis, recurvis, apice truncato, papilloso. *Achenia* triquetra, sursùm crassiora. *Pappi radiis* 3 (rariùs 5) paleaceis, linearibus, canaliculatis caducis: *apicibus* penicillato-plumosis v. ciliatis, involucro longioribus, recurvato-patulis.

Herbæ ramosissimæ, decumbentes, squarrosæ. Folia alterna, sessilia, simplicia, spinoso-mucronata. Flores fasciculato-corymbosi, aut raro subsolitarii, cyanei v. albi. Pappus niveus aut flavicans.

* *Pappi radiis apice penicillatis. Propriæ.*

1. *T. spinosum*, foliis pinnatifidis, floribus fasciculatis, pappi radiis apice penicillatis.

Triptilion spinosum. Ruiz et Pavon Gen. Pl. Fl. Per. et Chil. p. 102. t. 22. Syst. 1. p. 185.

In Chili campis et collibus, præsertim circa Conceptionis urbem (*Ruiz et Pavon*); ad urbem S. Jacobi Chilensem. *Caldcleugh. 4.*

Herba diffusè ramosissima, squarrosa. *Radix* fibrosa. *Caules* plures, decumbentes, flexuosi, graciles, teretes, rigidiusculi, undique copiosè pilosi, spithamæi v. pedales. *Folia* sparsa, sessilia, circumscriptione lanceolata, margine revoluta, utrinque pilosa, substantiâ cartilaginea, rigentia, tactu arida, subtùs costâ manifestè prominente, reverà tamen avenia, semunciam v. unciam longitudine æquantia; *inferiora* pinnatifida; *superiora* inciso-dentata, sive raro integrifima: *laciniis* paucis, lanceolatis, apiceque folii ipsius mucrone spinoso elongato stricto armatis. *Flores* confer-tissimi,

tissimi, fasciculato-corymbosi. *Involucrum imbricatum*, unguiculare : *squamis bracteisque lanceolato-subulatis*, apice patulo elongato triquetro spinoso-mucronatis ; *interioribus adpressis*, margine dilatato-membranaceis. *Receptaculum punctum densè villosum*. *Flosculi 5*, hermaphroditi, radium per breve, pulchrè cyaneum, colore persistente, constituentes ; *labio exteriore subrotundo-ovali*, patulo, subtùs concavo, obtusè tridenticulato ; *interiore pallidè luteo*, bipartito, revoluto, exteriore duplò breviore : *laciniis linear-i-lanceolatis*, obtusiusculis, margine primùm conglutinatis. *Antheræ appendiculâ lanceolatâ acutâ membranaceâ apice cæruleâ terminatæ*, basi bisetosæ : *setis simplicibus*, nudis, attenuatis. *Stigma bipartitum* : *segmentis linearibus*, subtùs convexis : *apice dilatato-truncato*, minutè papilloso. *Achenia pyramidato-trigona*, basi attenuata, glabra. *Pappus exsertus*, niveus, pulcherrimus : *radiis 3*, paleaceis, linearibus, canaliculatis caducis, apice recurvato-patulo, penicillato-plumoso.

Obs. Vulgò dicitur Siempreviva ob colorem florum permanentem quorum usus est communissimus ad ornamentum. Floret Januario et Februario. Planta valdè amara est, et ad ardores urinæ atque dolores nephriticos levigandos utilissima.

Ruiz MSS.

2. T. *diffusum*, foliis linear-i-lanceolatis integerrimis, floribus diffusè corymbosis, pappi radiis apice penicillatis.

In Chili ad Coquimbo. *Caldcleugh. 4.*

Herba diffusè ramosissima. *Caules decumbentes*, filiformes, lenti, supernè ramisque virgatis copiosè pilosi, spithamæi v. dodrantales. *Folia sparsa*, sessilia, linear-i-lanceolata, spinuloso-mucronata, subtùs pilosa, margine revoluta, integerrima, aut raro dente uno alterove instructa, uncialia, sesqui-

sesquilineam v. 2 lineas lata. *Flores* laxè diffusèque corymbosi. *Involuci* *squamis exterioribus* linearis-subulatis, apice triquetro spinuloso-mucronatis, patulis, squarrosis; *intimis membranaceo-dilatatis*, extùs pilosiusculis. *Flosculi* radio subrotundo-ovali, albo? Cætera ut in præcedente.

This is intimately allied to the preceding species, of which it may ultimately prove to be only a variety; but I must leave this question undecided until further observations shall determine whether the characters by which they are here separated, are permanent.

** *Pappi radiis apice ciliatis.*

3. *T. cordifolium*, foliis subrotundo-cordatis margine setaceo-spinosis, floribus subternis.

Triptilion cordifolium. *Lag. in Bot. Reg. t. 853.*

In Chili. *D. Place.* ⊖.

Herba radice tenuissimè fibrosâ, annuâ, diffusè ramosissima, lætè virens. *Caules* filiformes, valdè flexuosi, pubescentes. *Folia* sparsa, sessilia; *inferiora* subrotundo-cordata, amplexicaulia; *superiora* subrotunda v. rhombea; cartilagineo-membranacea, costâ prominente venisque reticulatis ad oram confluentibus, hinc marginata, utrinque leviter pubescentia, viridia, margine spinis longis setaceis, rectis, divaricato-patulis, solitariis, geminis, aut fasciculatim ternatis armata, ad apicem semper trinis approximatis, et tunc tricuspidata. *Flores* numerosi, dispersi, in apice ramulorum subsolitarii v. terni, sessiles. *Involucrum* virens, pubescens, polyphyllum, imbricatum, squarrosum: *squamis* lanceolatis, spinoso-mucronatis, carinatis, inæqualibus. *Receptaculum* punctum villosum. *Flosculi* 5, hermaphroditi, bilabiati, tubo luteo; *labio interiore* bipartito, demùm revoluto, luteo: *laciniis* lanceolatis, acuminatis, primùm conglutinatis;

conglutinatis; *exteriore* subrotundo, patulo, albo, subtus concavo, apice tridenticulato. *Antheræ* appendiculâ lanceolato-attenuatâ, apice obtusulâ, membranaceâ, terminatæ, basi bisetæ: *setis* linear-i-angustissimis, acutis, simplicibus, ipsâ antherâ brevioribus. *Stigma* bipartitum: *laciñis* angustissimis, semicylindricis, apice minutè papilloso, truncatis. *Achenia* turbinato-trigona, glabra. *Pappi radiis* paleaceis, linearibus, canaliculatis, apice recurvis, ciliatis, flavicantibus.

*** *Acheniis villosis, pappi radiis apice ciliatis.*

4. T. *glomerulosum*, foliis propriis ovatis: acumine trigono spinoso; secundariis glomeratis muticis, floribus solitariis sessilibus.

Triptilion glomerulosum. *Lag. Amen. Nat.* 1. no. 1.
In Chili summis alpibus Cordilleras de los Andes Hispanicè dictis. *Ruiz et Pavon.* h.

Planta cæspitosa, suffrutescens. *Caules* procumbentes, lignosi, rigidissimi, sesqui- v. tripollicares, crassitie ferè calami scriptorii, undique glomerulis sphæricis foliorum secundariorum simulque propriis persistentibus muniti, inde tuberculati, hinc spinosi. *Folia propria* basi latè dilatata, ovata, imbricata, margine membranacea, apice in acumen trigonum, spinâ subulatâ, rigidâ, validâ, rectâ terminatum producta, persistentia; cætera (secundaria scilicet) in capitulis (ramulis abortivis) axillaribus congesta, minuta, ovalia, obtusissima, subtus carinata, margine valdè incrassata, apice recurvata, similiter persistentia. *Flores* terminales, solitarii, sessiles. *Involucrum* polyphyllum, undique imbricatum: *squamis* ovatis, carinatis, margine dilatatis, scarioso-membranaceis, apice spinâ conicâ, validâ, perbrevi armatis, adpressis. *Receptaculum* densè villosum. *Flosculi* 5, hermaphroditi, bilabiati,

bilabiati, lactei; *labio exteriore* petaloideo, orbiculato, obtusè tridenticulato, 4-nervio, patulo; *interiore* bipartito: *segmentis* lanceolato-attenuatis, apice obtusulis, revolutis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ ovato-lanceolatâ, acutâ, membranaceâ terminatæ, basi bisetæ: *setis* linearibus, acutis, complanatis, simplicibus, ipsâ antherâ ferè duplò brevioribus. *Stigma* bipartitum; *segmentis* recurvis, apice truncatis, minutè papillosis. *Achenia* trigona, undique villosissima. *Pappi* radiis 3, paleaceis, linearibus, canaliculatis, caducis: apice recurvato, ciliato, niveo.

This curious genus agrees with *Proustia*, before described, in the definite number of its florets, in its hairy receptacle, and in its imbricate involucrum; but I have placed it here principally on account of the structure of its pappus, although the difference of this organ is more apparent than real: for the paleæ, which crown the fruit of this genus, are evidently formed by the confluence of innumerable fibres, whose extremities even in this instance are free.

Trib. 2. JUNGÆ. *Receptaculum* paleatum, paleis distinctis. *Flosculi* uniformes, bilabiati, hermaphroditi. *Stigmata* soluta, angusta, obtusa, vix papillosa. *Frutices* foliis sæpiùs lobatis, floribus paniculatis.

DUMERILIA. Lag. et Dec.

MARTRASIA. Lag. Amen. Nat. 1. p. 36.
Involucrum simplex. *Pappus* plumosus.
Involucrum simplici ordine polyphyllum, basi squamulis aliquot munitum: *foliolis* æqualibus, basi callosis. *Receptaculum* paleis distinctis, involuci squamis conformibus copiosè refertum.

fertum. *Flosculi* numerosi, bilabiati, hermaphroditi; *labio exteriore* ligulato, tridenticulato, nunc trifido; *interiore* bipartito: *segmentis* linear-lanceolatis, obtusis, revolutis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ linear-lanceolatâ acutâ cartilagineâ coronatæ, basi bisetæ: *setis* brevibus, acutis, simplicibus. *Stigma* soluta, linearia, truncata, pruinosa, non papillosa. *Achenia* triquetra, papilloso-scabra. *Pappus* mollis, fugax: *radiis* simplici ordine digestis, copiosis, imâ basi coalitis, gracilibus, plumosis. *Frutices* (Peruviani) facie peculiari, ferè ad Vitem accedunt. *Folia alterna, petiolata, latissima, multiloba.* Flores parvi, lutei v. nivei, sæpiùs terminales copiosissimi. *Pappus niveus.*

The numerous points of accordance, both in habit and structure, evidently existing between *Dumerilia* and *Jungia*, induced me to suggest the probability of the identity of these two genera, in which opinion I was agreeably surprised to find myself anticipated by Sprengel; but the acquisition by this Society of the Linnæan herbarium has afforded me the opportunity of setting this question at rest by an examination of the specimen of the original species of *Jungia* described in the *Supplementum Plantarum*, which removes all doubt as to their identity. Several capitula being closely associated together at the extremity of the divisions of the panicle, and the presence of small bracteæ at their base, have no doubt suggested to Linnæus the idea of a compound capitulum.

1. *J. ferruginea*, foliis subtûs densè tomentosis: lobis subæquilibus rotundatis, floribus corymbosis, ligulis revolutis tridenticulatis.

Jungia ferruginea. *Linn. Suppl. p. 390.*

In ruderatis et ad margines agrorum in Provinciâ Cantæ Peruvianorum. *Ruiz et Pavon. 1.*

Planta fruticosa, subscandens, sarmentosa. *Caulis* ramosus, teres, glaber. *Rami* cylindrici, flexuosi, densè pannoso-tomentosi, fulvescentes. *Folia* remotè alterna, petiolata, 5—7-loba, circumscriptione orbiculato-cordata, suprà pilis brevibus recumbentibus aspera, subtùs venis prominentibus varicosa, tomento albo copiosissimo obruta, holosericea, 2—3 uncias longa, latitudine æqualia: *lobis* rotundatis, repando-crenatis, nunc integerrimis. *Petioli* unciales, teretes, densè fulvescenti-tomentosi, basi crassiore inappendiculati, pennam corvinam crassitie cæterùm æquantes. *Corymbi* terminales, compositi, densè fulvescenti-tomentosi. *Involucra* sphærica, basi bracteolis aliquot linearì-subulatis munita: *squamis* simplici ordine plurimis (15—20) lanceolatis, acuminatis, tomentosis, æqualibus, margine membranaceis, induplicatis, dorso convexis. *Paleæ* plurimæ, lanceolatæ, acutæ, membranaceæ, obtusè carinatæ, dorso apiceque nigricante puberulis. *Flosculi* 30 circiter, lutei, hermaphroditi, bilabiati: *labiis* revolutis; *exteriore* elliptico-oblongo, obtusè tridenticulato; *interiore* bifido: *laciniis* linearibus, obtusis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ linearì-lanceolatâ acutâ cartilagineâ coronatæ, basi bisetæ: *setis* brevibus, acutis, simplicibus. *Stylus* tenuis, glaber. *Stigmata* linearì-lingulata, truncata, pruinosa. *Achenia* longiuscula, triquetra, papilloso-scabra. *Pappus* fugax, albus: *radiis* tenuissimis, plumosis.

Obs. Rami hujus plantæ ad sarmenta *Vitis* non paulò referunt. Vulgo *Vingri-Vingri*. Floret Februario et Martio. Flores valdè fragrantes, lutei. *Ruiz* *Mss.*

The *Dumerilia paniculata* of DeCandolle is distinguished from this species by the lobes of its leaves being longer, somewhat acute, and the margin more deeply and abruptly crenated, and finally by the trifid ligulate lip of the corolla, which in this is terminated by three small teeth only.

2. J. spec-

2. *J. spectabilis*, foliis pubescentibus : lobis acutis, floribus radiatis glomerato-paniculatis, ligulis patulis tridenticulatis.

In Guayaquilâ. *Tafalla.* ȝ.

Planta fruticosa, floribus niveis copiosissimis foliisque latissimis viridibus ad florendi tempus ornatissima. *Rami* teretes, obsoletè velutini. *Folia* remotè alterna, petiolata, subrotundo-cordata, 7—9-loba, membranacea, subtùs copiosè pubescentia, reticulato-venosa, suprà minutè papilloso-setulosa, asperiuscula, 3—5-uncialia, tunc ferè spithamæa ; *ultima* plurimùm minora, 5-loba, basi vix emarginata : *lobis* semi-ovatis, mucronulatis, acutè dentatis s. rariùs integerimis ; *intermedio* paululùm majore. *Petioli* bipollicares, teretes, velutini, basi inappendiculati, concavi. *Flores* terminales, copiosissimi, glomerato-paniculati, nivei, pulcherimi. *Pedicelli* squamulosi, pubescentes. *Bracteolæ* lineares, obtusæ, patulæ, velutinæ. *Involucra* ovalia, insertione depresso-umbilicata : *squamis* simplici ordine digestis, pluribus (10—12) lanceolatis, acutis, leviter pubescentibus, dorso convexis, margine membranaceis induplicatis, basi callosâ subtorulosis. *Paleæ* plurimæ, distinctæ, elliptico-oblongæ, acutiusculæ, obtusè carinatæ, pubescentes. *Flosculi* 21 circiter, bilabiati, hermaphroditi ; *exteriorès* majores, radium constituentibus ; *labio exteriore* elliptico, tridenticulato patulo, nunquàm revoluto ; *interiore* bipartito, revoluto : *segmentis* lanceolato-linearibus, acutis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ linearî acutâ terminatæ, basi bisetæ : *setis* brevibus, acutissimis, simplicibus. *Stigmata* linearia, revoluta, apice truncata, pruinosa. *Achenia* longiuscula, triquetra, papilloso-scabra. *Pappus* niveus, caducus : *radiis* apice tantùm plumosis.

PLEOCARPHUS.

Involucrum imbricatum. Pappus capillaris.

Involucrum triplici serie polyphyllum, imbricatum : *squamis* lanceolatis, acuminatis, membranaceis ; *interioribus* sensim majoribus. *Receptaculum* paleatum : *paleis* distinctis, lanceolatis, acutis v. truncatis lacerisque, rigidis, carinatis, margine scariosis. *Flosculi* plures, hermaphroditi, bilabiati ; *labio exteriore* ligulato, tridentato, quadrinervio, revoluto ; *interiore* bipartito : *lacinias* lanceolatis, acutis, binerviis, revolutis. *Filamenta* gracillima, glabra. *Antheræ* in tubum connatæ, appendiculâ linearî-lanceolatâ obtusâ cartagineâ terminatæ, basi longè bisetæ : *setis* simplicibus. *Stylus* filiformis, glaber. *Stigma* bipartitum : *segmentis* semicylindricis, obtusis, revolutis, minutè papilloso-micantia, scabra : *disco epigyno* dilatato, planiusculo. *Pappus capillaris*, persistens : *radiis* dupli ordine copiosissimis, denticulis minutissimis scabris, apice paulò crassiore vix penicillatis.

Caulis fruticosus, erectus, ramosus, teres. Rami cylindrici, undique glandulis pedicellatis copiosè induti, rufescentes. Folia alterna, sessilia, linearia, obtusula, v. mucronulo perbrevi sèpè aucta, margine revoluta, utrinque glandulis capitatis pedicellatis copiosè vestita ; primaria sesqui- v. bipollicaria, basi aliis 2 stipulas mentientibus, sublunatis, semi-ovatis, obtusis, margine exteriore revolutis, persistentibus appendiculata ; ramea breviora atque angustiora, basi nuda, attenuata, vix tamen petiolata. Flores lutei, in ramulis pedunculati, solitarii, aut sèpiùs copiosissimi, tunc racemi v. paniculæ modum æmulantes. Pedunculi uniflori, teretes, ut cum involucro glandulosi, 4—6 lineas longi. Corollæ nervi longè infra sinus loborum dichotomi, hinc ramis intramarginalibus. *Pappus cinereus.*

Nomen

Nomen ad receptaculum crebrè paleatum refert, a πλεος refertus, et καρφος palea.

1. *P. revolutus.*

In Chili ad Coquimbo. *Caldcleugh.* h.

This curious and well-marked genus has been referred to the *Jungææ*, entirely from its similarity of structure in the parts of fructification: for its habit certainly indicates no affinity to *Jungia*, unless we regard the stipule-like appendages of the leaves of *Pleocarphus* and some species of the former genus as pointing out a connexion.

Trib. 3. POLYACHYREÆ. *Receptaculum paleatum. Flosculi uniformes, hermaphroditi, bilabiati. Stigmata linearia, truncata, apice papillosa. Achenia difformia. Herbæ foliis pinnatifidis.*

a. PAPPO DIFFORMI.

POLYACHYRUS. Lag. et Dec.

Involucella tetraphylla, biflora, in capitulum congregata. Flosculi inaequales. Pappus flosculo interiori elongatus, plu-
mosus.

Capitulum compositum, globosum, basi squamis aliquot ovato-lanceolatis mucronatis rigidis munitum. Involucella plu-
rima, tetraphylla, biflora, paleis ovato-lanceolatis, mucro-
natis, lanugine interstinctis interjecta: foliolis imbricatis,
ovali-oblongis, apice emarginato-truncatis, scariosis, colo-
ratis, conniventibus; exteriore latiore, basi gibbosâ. Re-
ceptaculum partiale nudum. Flosculi singulo involucello
gemini, hermaphroditi, bilabiati, inaequales (exteriore mi-
nore); labio exteriore ligulato, obtuse tridenticulato, patu-
lo; interiore profundè bipartito: laciniis linearis-lanceolatis,
acutis, spiraliter revolutis. Antheræ appendiculâ linearis-
lanceolatâ

lanceolatâ acutâ terminatæ, basi biaristatæ : *aristis* lineari-lanceolatis, deorsùm attenuatis. *Stigma* bifidum : *lobis* linear-i-cuneatis, truncatis, plano-convexis, minutè papilloso-scabri, revolutis. *Achenia exteriora* cuneato-oblonga, papilloso-scabra ; flosculis verò majoribus (interioribus) longiora, subtetragona. *Pappus* difformis ; achenio exteriori brevisimus, setaceus, denticulatus, basi solutâ caducus, fusco-cinereus : interiori verò elongatus, plumosus, niveus, involucellum superans, subpersistens, radiis basi crassiore conferruminatis, apice mucronulo simplici.

Herba habitu omnino Echinopsidis, lanâ niveâ mollissimâ dense obruta. Caulis cubitalis, erectus, ramosus, teres. Folia alterna, basi auriculatâ amplexicaulia, palmaria, runcinato-pinnatifida, vix ultrà semunciam lata, suprà parciùs lanata : segmentis rhombeo-ovatis, dentatis, margine recurvis, mucronulo reflexo-adpresso terminatis. Capitula sphærica, pedunculata, corymbosa. Pedunculi erecto-patuli, teretes, lanati, pollicares v. sesquipollicares. Involucella nudiuscula, nitida, sanguineo-colorata. Flosculi rosei.

1. *P. spherocephalus.*

In Peruviâ. Ruiz et Pavon. ♂.

The capitulum in this genus consists of a congregation of smaller capitula, each containing two flowers. It is precisely analogous to that of *Echinops*, and may be compared to the compound umbel in other plants. Expansion first takes place in the florets of the apex of the capitulum, as Mr. Brown has already remarked in that of the before-mentioned genus. The compound capitulum, the two unequal florets, each of which is furnished with a distinct kind of pappus, sufficiently distinguish this genus from the following.

b. PAPPO

b. PAPPO UNIFORMI.

GASTROCARPHA.

Involucrum 5-phyllum. *Receptaculum* paleatum : *paleis* difformibus ; *exterioribus* cucullatis, basi gibbosâ, apice truncatis cum mucronulo flosculum quasi involucello proprio obvallantibus. *Flosculi* hermaphroditi, bilabiati, æquales. *Pappus* paleaceus, brevissimus, polyphyllus.

Involucrum 5-phyllum (nunc 6-phyllum) : *foliolis* ovatis, mucronatis, æqualibus. *Receptaculum* paleatum : *paleæ* difformes ; *extiores* 8, periphæricæ, simplici ordine digestæ, foliaceæ, dilatatæ, cucullatæ, marginibus ciliatis, ferè collapsis, flosculos marginales sigillatim, quasi involucello proprio, includentes, apice truncatæ, mucronuloque instructæ, extùs basi gibbosâ, reticulatim varicosæ ; cæteræ interiores, linear-i-lanceolatæ, scariosæ, canaliculatæ, apice acuminato simplici, v. bi- aut tri-cuspidato. *Flosculi omnes* hermaphroditi, bilabiati, subæquales (periphæricis paulò majoribus) extùs pilosiusculi ; *labio exteriore* ligulato, tridenticulato, patulo ; *interiore* multò minore, profundè bipartito, revoluto, laciniis linearibus, acutis : *tubo* limbo breviore, apice paululùm dilatato. *Filamenta* capillaria, teretia, glabra, elastica, articulo manifesto. *Antheræ* coalitæ, flavæ, appendiculâ linear-i-lanceolatâ, acutâ, albâ, antheræ ipsius longitudine terminatae, basi longè bisetæ : *setis* simplicibus, attenuatis. *Stylus* filiformis, lœvis, basi bulbosus. *Stigma* bipartitum : *lobis* linearibus, compressis, extùs bisulcatis, apice truncato, papilloso-hispidulo, parùm dilatato. *Achenia* difformia : *marginalia* obovata, dorso gibbosa, lœvia ; *disci* pentagona, minutè papillosa. *Pappus* uniformis, paleaceus, brevissimus, polyphyllus : *foliolis* lanceolatis, mucronatis,

cronatis, ciliatis, rigidis, simplici serie contiguis, persisten-
tibus, basi solutis.

Herba erecta, ramosa, virens, copiosè glanduloso-villosa, tempore
florendi formosa, odorem moscho similem redolens; radice
fibrosâ, annuâ. Caulis teres, flexuosus, spithameus v. peda-
lis; in hortis tamen sœpè 5 pedes attingens. Folia alterna,
profundè runcinato-pinnatifida, suprà opaca, subtùs lucida,
bi- v. tri-pollicaria: in hortis sœpè spithamæa v. pedalia;
caulinis superioribus basi auriculatâ amplexicaulibus: seg-
mentis lanceolatis, mucronatis, undulatis, lobatis, acutèque
dentatis. Flores diffusè paniculati, pedicellati. Involucrum
foliaceum, virens, hirtellum. Flosculi plures (12—16) sin-
gulo involucro, nivei. Nob. in Sw. Br. Fl. Gard. t. 229.

1. *G. runcinata*. Nob. in l. c.

Moscharia pinnatifida. Ruiz et Pavon Syst. Veg. Fl. Peruv. et
Chil. 1. p. 186? Gen. p. 103?

In Chili ad Coquimbo (Caldcleugh), ad Valparaiso (D. Bridges).
○. (v. v. etiam in hort.)

Whether this be really the *Moscharia pinnatifida* of Ruiz and Pavon I must leave for the present undetermined, as there exists no specimen of it in their herbarium; and the description of the parts of fructification, both in the published account of the genus and also in the manuscripts of Ruiz, cannot be reconciled to *Gastrocarpha*.

Trib. 4. CHÆTANTHEREÆ. *Receptaculum epaleatum*. *Flosculi*
diformes; *radii* fœminei. *Antherarum setis subplumosis!*
Stigmata crassa, obtusa, partim connata. *Herbæ* (*Chi-*
lenses) *plerumque caulescentes*, *floribus* *solitariis*, *magnis*,
radiatis.

CHÆTANTHERA.

CHÆTANTHERÆ SP., Ruiz et Pavon.

Involucrum polyphyllum, subæquale. *Pappi radiis* capillaceis, simplici ordine dispositis.

Involucrum depresso, multiplici ordine polyphyllum : *squamis* subæqualibus, numerosissimis, foliaceis, perornatè spinuloso-ciliatis ; *intimis* membranaceis, integerrimis. *Receptaculum* nudum. *Flosculi* *radii* plurimi, fœminei, bilabiati, staminibus sterilibus ; *labio exteriore* ligulato, obtusè trilobo, 4-nervio, subtùs villosissimo ; *interiore* bipartito : *laciniis* linearis-angustissimis, binerviis apice filo longo spirali terminatis ; *disci* hermaphroditi, tubulosi, bilabiati : *labiis* subæqualibus ; *exteriore* obtusè tridentato ; *interiore* ovato, emarginato. *Antheræ* appendiculâ lanceolatâ acutâ terminatæ, basi longè bisetæ : *setis* puberulis. *Stigma* fœmineis bifidum : *lobis* cymbiformibus, obtusis, conniventibus ; hermaphroditis inclusum : *lobis* adpressis, plano-convexis. *Achenia* ovalia, papilloso-micantia. *Pappus* capillaris : *radiis* copiosis, inæqualibus, persistentibus, scabriusculis, simplici ordine dispositis, imâ basi conferruminatis.

Herba radice fibrosâ annuâ. Caulis spithameus, erectus, simplex v. rariùs divisus, teres, pubescens. Folia alterna, sessilia, ferè uncialia, latè linearia, spinuloso-ciliata, suprà villosa, subtùs glabra ! uninervia, viridia. Flos terminalis, solitarius, rarò altero laterali, sessilis. Involucrum virens, magnitudine nucis Avellaneæ : *squamis*, tanquam foliis, suprà villosulis, subtùs nudis, politis ! lanceolatis, uninerviis ; *intimis* linearibus, mucronatis, maculo atrato, extùs ad apicem, notatis. Flosculi lutei. Pappus fusco-cinereus.

1. C. *ciliata*.

Chætanthera ciliata. Ruiz et Pavon Syst. Veg. Fl. Peruv. et Chil. 1. p. 190. Gen. t. 23.

In Chili collibus et campis versus Guilquilemu oppidum copiosè. Ruiz et Pavon. ♂.

Chætanthera is here limited to the species on which the genus was originally founded by Ruiz and Pavon. It is sufficiently characterized by its involucrum, composed of a series of loose, foliaceous, and nearly equal scales, and by its capillary pappus. A comparison of the leaves and the scales of the involucrum of this plant affords a most satisfactory explanation of the origin of the latter. There being no sample of this plant in the collections of Ruiz and Pavon, the above description has been drawn up from a specimen presented to Mr. Lambert by Mr. Brown.

PROSELIA.

CHÆTANTHERÆ SP., Ruiz et Pavon.

PERDICII SP., Willd.

Involucrum imbricatum. Pappi radiis setaceis, simplici ordine dispositis.

Involucrum triplici circiter serie polyphyllum, imbricatum, campanulatum: *squamis* adpressis, lanceolatis, mucronatis, integrimis; *exterioribus* gradatim minoribus. *Receptaculum* planum, nudum. *Flosculi radii* plures, fœminei, bilabiati, staminibus sterilibus; *labio exteriore* ampio, ligulato, 4-nervio, obtusè tridenticulato, subtùs sericeo-villosissimo; *intiore* tenuissimo, bipartito: *segmentis* primò margine conglutinatis, inde unicum simulantibus, binerviis apice in filo longo, spirali attenuatis; *disci* hermaphroditi, tubulosi, limbo bilabiati; *labio exteriore* elliptico, obtusè tridentato; *intiore* lanceolato, bifido. *Antheræ* appendiculâ linearî acutâ cartilagineâ

cartilagineâ terminatae, basi bisetae: setis inæqualibus, puberulis. *Stylus* teres. *Stigma* clavatum, bilobum: lobis crassis, obtusis, conniventibus. *Achenia* linear-i-oblonga, ancipiti-compressa, tuberculis minutis crystallizatis copiosè ornata. *Pappus* setaceo-pilosus, subpersistens: radiis simplici ordine dispositis, denticulis exasperatis, apice attenuatis, basi conferruminatis.

Planta perennis, suffrutescens. Caules ex eadem radice plures, adscendentes, simplices, teretes, viminei, læves, rigidiusculi, fragiles, palmates v. spithamæi, imâ basi lanuginosi et lignosi. Folia linearia, supernè paululùm dilatata, subcuneata, spinuloso-dentata, coriacea, rigida, sericeo-villosa, apice tricuspidata, dente medio longiori, uncialia v. sesquiuncialia; radicalia plurima, erecta, infernè marginibus involutis, penè filiformia, hinc prout petiolata; caulina sparsa, breviora, decidua, ob basin tanquam cum caule articulatam. Flos terminalis, solitarius, sessilis. Involucrum basi foliis nonnullis bracteatum: squamis extùs villosis, apice nigro-coloratis, subinde sphacelatis. Flosculi aurei, extùs quandoque purpurascentes. *Pappus* flavo-cinereus.

Nomen a προσηλιος apricus, quod huic plantæ aptè convenit, propereà in arenosis et campis apricis se delectare videtur.

1. *P. serrata.*

Chætanthera serrata. Ruiz et Pavon l. c. p. 191.

C. Chilensis. Dec. in Ann. Mus. 19. p. 70. t. 3. f. 8. Lag. Amen. Nat. 1. p. 38.

Perdicium Chilense. Willd. Sp. Pl. 3. p. 2118.

In arenosis prope urbem Conceptionis et in Rere provinciâ Chilensium. Ruiz et Pavon. 4.

This genus differs essentially from the preceding by its imbricate involucrum, composed of many unequal, adpressed, entire scales,

scales, and in the structure of its pappus. M. DeCandolle's description and figure of this plant above referred to, are very faithful; but both he and Professor Lagasca, in adopting the name of Willdenow, who had referred it to *Perdicium*, were evidently ignorant of its being the *Chætanthera serrata* of Ruiz and Pavon.

BICHENIA.

Involucrum imbricatum. *Flosculi radii* labio exteriore multi-nervio! *Pappi radiis* triplici ordine dispositis, apice penicillatis.

Involucrum polyphyllum, inordinate imbricatum: *squamis* lanceolatis, acuminatis, adpressis; *intimis* elongatis, radium æquantibus. *Receptaculum* planum, nudum. *Flosculi radii* plurimi (15—18), ligulati, bilabiati, fœminei, staminibus sterilibus; *labio exteriore* ampio, cuneiformi, obtusè tridentato, coriaceo, glabro, multi-(10 v. 15)nervio; *interiore* exiguò, membranaceo, bipartito: *segmentis* linear-filamentosis, spiraliter revolutis; *disci* hermaphroditi, tubulato-bilabiati: *labiis* longitudine æqualibus; *exteriore* ligulato, obtusè trilobo; *interiore* bipartito: *segmentis* linearibus, obtusis, erectis. *Filamenta* linearia, complanata, nervo medio manifestè subcarinata. *Antheræ* appendiculâ ligulatâ, mucronulatâ, coriacea terminatae, basi bisetæ: *setis* ramulosis, plumosis, extremitate simplici, elongatâ. *Stigma* clavatum, bilobum: *lobis* brevissimis, crassis, connivent-*applicatis*, pruinosis. *Achenia* angusta, compresso-tetragona, undique copiosè papillosa. *Pappus* pilosus, subpersistens: *radiis* inæqualibus, triplici ordine digestis, apice penicillatis, leviter plumosis.

Herba perennis, acaulis, cæspitosa, lanâ albâ, villosâ, molli, siccitate lutescente, omnino induta. Folia ferè Pedicularium quarundam, numerosa, radicalia, petiolata, interruptè bipinnatifida,

natifida, *suprà demùm nudiuscula ac viridia*, *bi- v. tri-pollicaria*; *segmentis primariis remotis, linearibus, obtusè pinnatifido-dentatis, uncialibus, margine parùm revolutis*; *aliis interjectis, brevissimis, simplicibus, integerrimis s. rariùs unidentatis*. *Petioli unciales, teretiusculi, basi dilatato-concavi, atque invicem se imbricati*. *Scapi erecti, cylindrici, simplissimi, uniflori, undique copiosè fulvescenti-lanati, apicemque versus squamis aliquot lanceolatis, acuminatis muniti, crassitie pennæ corvinæ, longitudine palmares v. spithamei*. *Flos terminalis, solitarius, facie et magnitudine Galardiæ bicolori omnino similis, aureus*. *Involucrum dense lanatum: squamis fuscescentibus*. *Pappus niveus*.

1. *B. aurea*.

In Chili ad Coquimbo. *Caldcleugh. 4.*

A highly interesting addition to this group, for the discovery of which we are indebted to Alexander Caldcleugh, Esq., F.R.S. and L.S., who amid other more important avocations has not neglected the interests of science during his residence in a part of Chile hitherto but little explored, but has added much to our knowledge of the Chilian Flora, which, as we have already seen, is rich in this department of botany.

I have dedicated this genus to my much-valued friend James E. Bicheno, Esq., F.R.S., the zealous Secretary of this Society, whose merits as a botanist, and whose liberal views in every department of science, justly entitle him to this compliment.

Bichenia is most satisfactorily distinguished by its penicillate pappus, the rays of which are disposed in a triple series, and by the ligulate florets of the circumference being furnished with an indefinite number of nerves, which are from 10 to 15, and apparently all primary, as they are of equal size, traversing in straight parallel lines the corolla from the base to the apex, where they become

become confluent. They occupy the centre of the laciniæ, and, unlike the other plants of this family, there are no vessels terminating in, or branching off from the sinus.

TYLLOMA.

Involutum imbricatum. Flosculi marginales unilabiati! Pappus capillaris: radiis simplici ordine dispositis.

Involutum ovatum, polyphyllum, multiplici ordine imbricatum: squamis integerrimis, mucronulatis, lœvibus, coriaceis, adpressis; interioribus oblongis, apice coloratis. Receptaculum nudum. Flosculi marginales pauci, foeminei, unilabiati, vix radiati, obtusè tridentati; disci hermaphroditi, tubulosi, extùs sericeo-villosi, limbo bilabiati: labiis abbreviatis; exteriore obtusè tridentato; interiore bifido, lobis lanceolatis, acutis, erectis. Stamina tubo infra medium inserta: filamenta angusta, complanata, glabra, apice attenuata: antheræ in tubum coalitæ, basi bisetæ: setis longis, ramulosis, subplumosis: appendicula terminalis lanceolatolinearis, acuminata, cartilaginea, antherâ ipsâ brevior. Stylus filiformis, glaber. Stigma clavatum, bilobum: lobis abbreviatis, conniventibus, crassis, obtusis, pruinosis, margine incrassatis. Achenia trigona, papilloso-muricata. Pappus capillaris, deciduus: radiis simplici ordine contiguis, subæqualibus, basi apiceque puberulis.

Herba multicaulis, lanugine laxâ parciùs instructa. Radix ramosa, annua. Caudex brevissimus. Caules procumbentes, cylindracei, purpurascentes, 2—4-unciales. Folia alterna, subsessilia, in apice ramorum aggregata, cæterùm sparsa, cuneato-lanceolata; limbata, integerrima, complicata, flexuosa, valdè coriacea, colore glauco cœrulecentia, utrinque glandulis majusculis, pedicellatis, sparsis munita, subtùs costâ validâ basi valdè dilatatâ, hinc carinata, semuncialia; juniora præcipue suprà

suprà lanigera : limbo *recurvato-patulo*, *circumscriptione cordato*, *periphæriâ callosâ rotundatâ luteolâ marginato*, *mucronulo perbrevi corneo apiculato*. Flores *terminales*, *solitarii*, *sessiles*, *foliis numerosis bracteati*. Involucrum *longitudine vix ultrâ semipolllicare* : *squamis interioribus apice purpurascens*. Flosculi *rosei*. Pappus *niveus*.

Nomen a τυλος *callus*, et λωμα *margo*; ob folia orâ callosâ cincta.

1. T. *limbatum*.

In Chili ad Coquimbo. Caldcleugh. ♂.

Trib. 5. PERDICEÆ. *Receptaculum epaleatum*. Flosculi difformes; *marginales* fœminei: *stigmatibus semicylindricis*, obtusis, sæpiùs lævibus. *Antherarum setis plerumque nudis*. *Herbæ perennes, acaules, scapis plerumque unifloris*:

CHAPTALIA. Vent., Dec.

PERDICII SP., Thunb.

TUSSILAGINIS SP., Mich.

Flosculi *periphæriæ* fœminei, ligulati, radiati; *disci* masculi, bilabiati.

Involucrum campanulatum, multiplice serie imbricatum: *squamis lanceolatis*, acutis, membranaceis, adpressis. Receptaculum nudum. Flosculi in *periphæriâ* plurimi, fœminei, sæpiùs duplice ordine digesti; *extimis* elongatis, ligulatis, radiatis (labio interiore nullo v. minimo); *interioribus*, dum adsint, conformibus, sed multoties minoribus, ligulis linearibus integerrimis, labello interiore minimo bidenticulato; *disci* masculi, tubulosi, bilabiati: *labiis* revolutis; *exteriore* tridentato; *interiore* bipartito: *segmentis* lanceolatis, acuminatis. Antheræ appendiculâ ligulatâ obtusâ coriaceæ

terminatæ, basi longè biaristatæ : *aristis* simplicibus, setaceis. *Stigma* masculis inclusum, clavatum, bilobum ; fœmineis longè exsertum, bipartitum : *segmentis* brevibus semicylindricis, obtusis, recurvis, undique pruinosis. *Achenia* elliptico-oblonga, ancipiti-compressa. *Pappus* pilosus, fulvellus, persistens : *radiis* duplii serie digestis, copiosis, creberrimè denticulatis.

Herbæ (Amer. et Asiat.) *acaules*, *perennes*, *niveo-lanatæ*. *Folia simplicia*, *coriacea*. *Flores* *sæpiùs albi*.

* *Flosculi fæminei duplii ordine dispositi*, *diformes*, *labello interiore aucti*. *Foliis integerrimis*.

1. *C. oblonga*, foliis petiolatis oblongis, involucris hirsutissimis. *Perdicium oblongum*. *Herb. R. et P.*
In Peruviæ alpibus prope Panao. *Ruiz et Pavon. 4.*

Herba cæspitosa. *Radix* crassa, præmorsa, fibris numerosissimis, aliis crassis, aliis capillaceis, instructa. *Folia* longè petiolata, lanceolata, v. elliptico-oblonga, obtusa, coriacea, basi parùm attenuata, margine angusto, revoluto, denticulis semi-ovatis, obtusis, nudis, reflexo-adpressis ornato ; suprà leviter lanuginosa, demùm nuda, costâ latiusculâ, nervis transversis venisque reticulatis instructa, subrugosa ; subtùs lanâ intertextâ, niveâ, siccitate fulvescente, densè vestita ; 2—5-uncialia, unciam v. sesquiunciam lata. *Petioli* simplices, semiteretes, undique copiosè lanati, 3—6-unciales. *Scapus* solitarius, teres, validior quàm in cæteris sequentibus, uniflorus, undique lanâ copiosissimâ fulvescente instructus, squamis plurimis, præsertim apicem versus, lanceolatis, obtusiusculis, nudis, nitidis, coloratis munitus, pedalis v. ultrà. *Involucrum* campanulato-patens, polyphyllum, imbricatum : *squamis* lanceolatis, acutis, adpressis,

pressis, sanguineo-coloratis; exterioribus lanuginosis; intimis elongatis, acuminatis, radiatis. *Flosculi* albi; *radii* plurimi, 30 circiter, fœminei, duplice ordine dispositi, linearis-ligulati; extimus multoties majoribus, involucri squamis intimis vix longioribus, obtuse tridenticulatis, radium distinctum constituentibus; *labio interiore* minimo, bipartito: *laciniis* angustè linearibus, obtusulis, inæqualibus, rectis; *disci* masculi, tubulosi, bilabiati; *labio exteriore* ligulato, obtuse 3-dentato; *interiore* bifido: *laciniis* lanceolato-linearibus, obtusis. *Antheræ* basi bisetæ, appendiculâ linearis-ligulatâ cartilagineâ coronatae. *Stigma* masculis inclusum bilobum, clavatum; fœmineis exsertum, bifidum: *lobis* obtusis, papilloso-pruinosis. *Achenia* elliptica, ancipti-compressa, glabra: *disco epigyno* dilatato, planiusculo. *Pappus* capillaris, cinereo-fulvellus, denticulis scaber.

2. *C. ovalis*, foliis petiolatis ovalibus, involucris hirsutissimis.

Perdicium ovale. *Herb. R. et P.*

In Peruviâ ad Huassahuassi et Churapallananam. *Ruiz et Pavon. 24.*

Herba cæspitosa. *Radix* compacta, fibris numerosissimis, longissimis, fuscis. *Folia* plura, radicalia, petiolata, ovalia v. subrotundo-ovalia, coriacea, orâ angustissimâ, recurvata, denticulis ovatis, obtusis, nudis, adpressè reflexis, costâ mediâ, validâ, nervisque transversis atque venis prope marginem anastomosantibus; suprà demùm calva, viridia, lucida; subtùs densè fulvo-lanata: *basi* transversâ, v. attenuatâ; 2 v. $2\frac{1}{2}$ pollices longa, sesquiunciam lata. *Petoli* semiteretes, simplices, sesquiunciales, undique fulvo-lanati. *Scapus* dodrantalis, erectus, filiformis, uniflorus, undique lanâ fulvâ copiosè vestitus, squamisque nonnullis lanceolatis, obtusis, membranaceis, nudis, adpressis munitus. *Flos*

nutans, albus. *Involucrum* quadruplici circiter serie polyphyllum, campanulatum: *squamis* lanceolatis, mucronulatis, adpressis, margine apiceque sanguineo-coloratis; *intimis* radiantibus. *Flosculi* *radii* plurimi, foeminei, dupli ordine digesti (serie interiore plurimum minore); *extimis* 20 circiter ligulatis, obtusè tridenticulatis; *labio* *interiore* minuto, obtusè bidentato; *disci* masculi, bilabiati: *labiis* revolutis; *exteriore* ligulato, obtusè tridenticulato; *interiore* bipartito: *segmentis* lanceolatis, attenuatis. *Antheræ* basi longè biaristatae, appendiculâ ligulatâ, obtusâ coronatae. *Stigma* masculis inclusum clavatum, bilobum; radiis bifidum: *laciniis* semi-cylindricis, obtusis, recurvis, pruinosis. *Achenia* elliptica, compressa, glabra: *disco epigyno* dilatato. *Pappus* capillaris, denticulis scaber, fulvellus.

3. *C. rotundifolia*, foliis petiolatis subreniformibus, involucris lœvibus.

In stagnatis altis frigidis Peruviae ad Pillao. Ruiz et Pavon. 2.

Herba cæspitosa, facie et magnitudine *Tussilagini alpinæ* omnino accedens. *Radix* præmorsa, fibris atro-fuscis, longis, crassis instructa. *Folia* plurima, radicalia, petiolata, nunc subrotunda basi integrâ, nunc cordata v. subreniformia, obtusa, suprà demum nuda, costâ validiusculâ, nervis obliquè transversis peragrata, indè reticulato-venosa, rugosa, subtùs lanâ niveâ, siccitate fulvâ, copiosè vestita, orâ perangustâ, revolutâ, denticulisque plurimis, obtusis, nudis, reflexo-adpressis munitâ, unguicularia, v. nunc rariùs pollicaria. *Petiolæ* filiformes, simplicissimi, lanati, sesqui- v. bi-pollicares. *Scapus* altitudine maximè varians, nunc tripollicaris, nunc dodrantalis, v. rariùs ferè pedalis, filiformis, solitarius, uniflorus, gracilis, lanâ villosissimâ rufescente, squamis pluribus,

pluribus, lanceolatis, obtusulis, nudis, coloratis, adpressis munitus. *Flos* magnitudine *Tussilaginis predictæ*, albus, nutans. *Involucrum* polyphyllum, imbricatum, campanulatum: *squamis* lanceolatis, acutis, membranaceis, adpressis, demùm glabris, lucidulis, viridibus, raro sanguineo-coloratis; *intimis* longioribus, radiatis. *Receptaculum* nudum. *Flosculi* *radii* dupli ordine digesti, fœminei, in serie exteriore 20 circiter, ligulati, radium distinctum constituentes, obtusè tridenticulati: *labio interiore* minimo, bipartito: *laciniis* acutis, linearis-angustissimis, inæqualibus, rectis; *interiore serie* consimili, at plurimum minore, discum vix superante; *disci* tubulato-bilabiati, hermaphroditi, fauce dilatati; *labio exteriore* brevi, ligulato, obtusè tridentato; *interiore bipartito*: *laciniis* linearis-lanceolatis, acutiusculis, revolutis. *Antheræ* basi bisetæ: *setis* simplicibus: *appendiculâ* linearis-ligulatâ, obtusâ, subcoriaceâ. *Stigma* *disci* flosculis bilobum, clavatum, papillosum; radiis bifidum: *laciniis* brevibus, semicylindricis, obtusis, pruinosis. *Achenia* linearis-oblunga, compressa, glabra, apice angustata: *disco epigyno* dilatato. *Pappus* capillaris, fulvellus, denticulis scaber.

** *Flosculi marginales simplici ordine uniformes, fœminei, ligulati, unilabiati!* *Foliis sessilibus, pinnatifidis.*

4. *C. lyrata*, foliis sessilibus lyratis ciliato-denticulatis.

Hieracium stipitatum. Herb. S. et M.

In Mexico. Sesse et Mocinno. 4.

Herba cæspitosa. *Radix* crassa, fibris compluribus longissimis instructa. *Folia* plurima, radicalia, sessilia, in orbem acta, patentia, spathulata, lyrata, membranacea, suprà demùm nuda, viridia, subtùs densè niveo-tomentosa, margine undulata, denticulisque setaceis copiosè ornata, bi- v. tripollicaria,

caria, sesquipollicem lata : *lobis* abbreviatis, rotundatis ; *terminali* ampio, elliptico, mucronulato. *Scapus* solitarius, gracilis, filiformis, lanuginosus, squamis paucissimis linearibus acuminatis munitus. *Flos* minor, albus ? nutans. *Involucrum* 4-plici circiter serie polyphyllum, imbricatum : *squamis* linearisubulatis, dein glabratris. *Receptaculum* nudum. *Flosculi radii* simplici ordine uniformes, ligulati, fœminei, apice acutiusculo, integro ; *labio interiore* nullo ; *disci* copiosi, hermaphroditi, tubulato-bilabiati ; *labio exteriore* ligulato, revoluto, obtusè tridentato ; *interiore* bipartito : *laciniis* linearis-lanceolatis, obtusis, spiraliter revolutis. *Antheræ* basi longè biauriculatæ, appendiculâ linearis-angustâ obtusâ terminatæ. *Stylus* filiformis. *Stigma* masculis inclusum, clavatum, bilobum ; *radii* sexsertum, bifidum : *lobis* brevibus, obtusis, pruinosis. *Achenia* oblonga, compressa, pilis brevissimis vestita. *Pappus* pilosus, fulvellus, denticulis scaber.

*** *Involucri squamis ellipticis, obtusis, disco brevioribus. Flosculi marginales simplici ordine dispositi : labello bipartito, spirali. Antherarum setis ramulosis. Stigmatis lobis brevibus. Foliis petiolatis, integris. Eurytis.*

5. C. *heterophylla*, foliis lanceolatis planis dentatis integerrimisve, scapo esquamato, involucri squamis obtusis disco brevioribus.

Onoseris heterophylla. Spreng. Syst. 3. p. 503 ?

In Monte Video. Sello. 4.

Herba acaulis, lanâ adpressâ niveâ obruta. *Folia* plurima, radicaria, erecto-patentia, petiolata, lanceolata, acutiuscula, coriacea, margine obtusè dentata v. integerima, costâ mediâ validâ, venis angulo acuto obliquis, plerumque inconspicuis,

inconspicuis, basi attenuata, utrinque plana, palmaria, vix pollicem lata; *adultiora* lanâ fugaci nudiuscula. *Petioli* bipollicares, canaliculati, supernè angusti, basi dilatati, imbricati et villosi. *Scapus* erectus, filiformis, apice in discum dilatatus, uniflorus, squamis omnino destitutus, spithamæus v. dodratalis. *Flos* erectus, magnus, aureus. *Involucrum* hemisphaericum, triplici ordine adpressè imbri- catum: *squamis* ovatis, obtusis, coriaceis; *intimis* oblongis, disco duplò brevioribus! quandoque extimis duabus elongatis bracteas simulantibus. *Flosculi radii* plurimi (17—20), fœminei, elongati, bilabiati, staminibus sterilibus; *labio exteriore* maximo, ligulato, tridentato, coriaceo, nervis secundariis manifestis; *interiore* bipartito: *segmentis* linearibus, obtusis, spiraliter convolutis, primùm margine conglutina- tis; *disci* masculi, tubulosi, tubo 5-angulo: *limbo* bilabiato: *labiis* subæqualibus; *exteriore* obtusè tridentato, 4-nervio; *interiore* bipartito, segmentis linearibus, obtusiusculis, bi- nerviis, apice revolutis. *Filamenta* articulo inferiore minutè papilloso. *Antheræ* appendiculâ ligulatâ acutiusculâ cartilagineâ coronatæ, basi bisetosæ: *setis* compressis, basi ramulosis, vix plumosis. *Stylus* 5-angulus. *Stigma* bilobum: *lobis* obtusis, brevissimis, pruinosis. *Achenia* ancipiti-com- pressa, densè adpressè pilosa. *Pappus* capillaris, persistens, cinereus: *radiis* denticulatis, scabris, dupli ordine digestis, copiosissimis.

Besides the *Chaptalia integrifolia*, which wants the inner lobe to the marginal florets, and consequently agrees in this respect with my second section, *Perdicium piloselloides* of Vahl and *Perdicium tomentosum* of *Flora Japonica* belong also to this genus. This latter species has all the characters of my second section; but *C. integrifolia* having the female flowers disposed in a double series,

series, will constitute perhaps another section. The *Chaptalia maxima* of the *Prodromus Floræ Nepalensis* has been improperly referred by me to this genus, being really a species of *Perdicium*, as constituted by Lagasca and DeCandolle. The *Chaptalia runcinata* of M. Kunth having the centre florets with a regular five-cleft limb appears to belong more properly to the following genus.

ONOSERIS. Dec.

ONOSERIDIS SP., Willd., Kunth.

ATRACTYLIDIS SP., L.

Flosculi periphæriæ fœminei, radiati, bilabiati; disci hermaphroditi, tubulosi: limbo regulari, 5-fido.

Involucrum hemisphæricum, triplici ordine polyphyllum, imbricatum. Receptaculum nudum. Flosculi radii fœminei, bilabiati, staminibus sterilibus; labio exteriore maximo, ligulato, tridentato; interiore tenuissimo, sæpiùs bipartito, spiraliter convoluto; disci hermaphroditi, tubulosi: limbo regulari, 5-fido: laciniis linearibus, obtusis, binerviis. Antheræ appendiculâ linearî-lanceolatâ cartilagineâ coronatæ, basi bisetosæ. Stigma bilobum: lobis obtusis, pruinosis. Achenia ancipiti-compressa, sericeo-villosa. Pappus capillaris, persistens: radiis dupli ordine digestis, denticulato-scabris.

Herbæ acaules, lanatæ. Scapo simplici v. diviso. Flores sæpiùs purpurei.

1. *O. brevifolia*, foliis subsessilibus ellipticis denticulatis scabris venosissimis, flosculis radii labello interiore indiviso.

In Monte Video. Sello. 4.

Radix præmorsa fibris compluribus prælongis instructa. Caudex brevissimus, fulvo-vilosissimus. Folia subsessilia, humo adpressa,

adpressa, elliptica, obtusa, margine copiosè denticulata, subcoriacea, reticulato-venosissima, rugosa, subtùs pilosa, suprà punctis elevatis scabra, utrinque viridia, pollicaria v. sesquipollucaria. *Scapus* rectissimus, filiformis, cubitalis, undique lanâ adpressâ niveâ obtectus, squamis paucis brevissimis adpressis instructus. *Flos* erectus. *Involucrum* hemisphaericum, triplici ordine polyphyllum, imbricatum : *squamis* lanceolato-linearibus, setaceo-acuminatis, extùs lanuginosis ; *intimis* disco longioribus. *Receptaculum* nudum, scabriuscum. *Flosculi* lutei ? *radii* plures, bilabiati, fœminei, singulo ordine dispositi, staminibus sterilibus, radium distinctum constituentibus ; *labio exteriore* amplo, ligulato, obtusè tridentato, 4-nervio ; *interiore* linear-angustissimo, obtuso, canaliculato, erecto, binervio ; *disci* copiosi, tubulosi, 5-fidi, hermaphroditi : *segmentis* linearibus, obtusis, erectis, binerviis. *Filamenta* gracilia, lævia. *Antheræ* appendiculâ linear-lanceolatâ mucronatâ cartilagineâ coronatæ, basi bisetosæ : *setis* ramulosis, subplumosis. *Stigma* utriusque bilobum : *lobis* brevibus, adpressis, obtusissimis, pruinosis. *Achenia* linearia, ancipiti-compressa, sericeo-villosa. *Pappus* capillaris, persistens, sordidè cinereus : *radiis* dupli ordine copiosis, denticulato-scabris.

This genus, constituting an intermediate group between *Chaptalia* and *Leria*, differs from the former in the regularity of the limb of the florets of the disk, and from the latter in the female florets of the circumference forming a distinct radius, and being arranged generally in a single series. The *Onoseris purpurata* of Willdenow, and the *hieracioides* and *speciosa* of M. Kunth, are clearly referable to the genus, and perhaps also the *Chaptalia runcinata*; but I doubt whether any of the other plants hitherto included in it are really species of this genus.

LERIA. Dec.

TUSSILAGINIS SP., L.

Flosculi disci masculi, tubulosi, 5-fidi; marginales fœminei, filiformes: limbo abbreviato.

Involucrum hemisphaericum, triplici v. quadruplici serie polyphyllum, imbricatum: squamis linearibus, acuminatis, adpressis, apice coloratis. Receptaculum nudum. Flosculi disci masculi, tubulosi, 5-fidi: laciniis æqualibus; marginales fœminei, multiplici ordine numerosissimi, tunc difformes, extimis ligulatis, unilabiatis, inæqualiter tridentatis vix radiantibus; nunc simplici ordine pauciores, cæterisque filiformibus, supernè gradatim coarctatis: limbo parvo, bilabiato: labiis erectis, abbreviatissimis; exteriore tridentato; interiore bipartito. Antheræ basi longè bisetæ, appendiculâ linearî-ligulatâ, subcoriaceâ terminatæ. Stigma masculis inclusum, clavatum, bilobum; fœmineis longè exsertum, bipartitum: laciniis filiformibus, lœvibus. Achenia fusiformia, infernè compressa, 5-costata, apice attenuata. Pappus tenuissimè capillaris, nunc stipitatus: radiis inæqualibus, denticulatis.

Herbæ perennes, niveo-lanatæ. Folia simplicia. Scapi uniflori.

1. L. *nutans*, foliis sessilibus sinuatis, flosculis fœmineis difformibus, pappo stipitato.

Leria *nutans*. Dec. in Ann. Mus. 19. p. 68.

Tussilago *nutans*. Linn. Amæn. Acad. 5. p. 406. Sp. Pl. p. 1213.

Dens leonis folio subtùs incano, flore purpureo. Sloan. Hist. 1. p. 255. t. 150. f. 2.

Aster primulæ veris folio, flore singulari purpureo. Plum. Sp. 14. t. 41. f. 1. (bona.)

In Mexico. Sesse et Mocinno. 4.

Herba

Herba perennis, cæspitosa, acaulis, densè niveo-lanata. *Radix* præmorsa, fibris compluribus, longissimis (5—6-uncialibus), filiformibus, validis, radiculosis. *Folia* plurima, radicalia, impetiolata, spathulata, nunc sinuata, nunc lyrata, margine minutissimè denticulata, membranacea, suprà demùm nuda, viridia, subtùs niveo-tomentosa, infernè angustata, 3—4-pollicaria, nunc spithamæa, unciam v. 2 uncias lata; *lobo terminali* maximo, oblongo, obsoletè mucronulato. *Scapi* plures, filiformes, uniflori, undique copiosè niveo-lanati, palmares v. rariùs dodrantales. *Flos* terminalis, solitarius, nutans, roseus, diametro pollicem v. ultrà adæquans. *Involucrum* hemisphæricum, polyphyllum: *squamis* linearibus, acuminatis, quadruplici circiter serie imbricatis, apice coloratis. *Receptaculum* nudum. *Flosculi centrales* pauci, masculi, tubulosi, supernè vix dilatati, regulariter 5-fidi; *cæteris* fœmineis, numerosissimis, tenuissimè filiformibus; *extimis* ligulatis, unilabiatis, inæqualiter tridentatis, involucro paulò longioribus, subinde radiatis; *interioribus* limbo parvo bilabiatis: *labiis* abbreviatis, erectis; *exteriore* tridentato; *interiore* bipartito: *laciniis* linearibus, obtusis, erecto-patulis. *Antheræ* basi setis tenuissimis longis auctæ, appendiculâ linearî, obtusâ coronatæ. *Stylus* masculis inclusus: *stigmate* clavato, bilobo, lobis abbreviatis crassis, obtusis, conniventibus; fœmineis longè exsertus: *stigmate* bipartito, segmentis filiformibus, obtusis, recurvis, lævibus. *Achenia* fusiformia, minutè papillosa, basi compressâ, 5-costatâ, apice in stipitem filiformem prodeuntia. *Pappus* subinde stipitatus, tenuissimè capillaceus, fulvellus: *radiis* inæqualibus, minutissimè denticulatis, triplici ordine digestis, copiosissimis.

2. *L. spathulata*, foliis petiolatis integris, flosculis masculis indefinitis.

Cacalia spathulata. *Herb. S. et M.*

In Mexico. *Sesse et Mocinno.* *u.*

Herba cæspitosa. Folia plurima, radicalia, petiolata, lanceolato-spathulata aut elliptico-oblonga, membranacea, denticulata, suprà demùm calva, viridia, subtùs niveo-lanata, molliissima, 2—3-pollicaria, basi attenuata; juniora margine revoluta. Petoli lineares, plani, membranaceo-alati, pollicares v. bipollicares. Scapi cubitales, subsolitarii, filiformes, uniflori, squamis destituti, undique lanuginosi. Flos nutans. Involucrum polyphyllum: squamis triplici circiter serie imbricatis, lanceolatis, acuminatis, coriaceis, lanuginosis. Receptaculum nudum. Flosculi disci copiosissimi, masculi, tubulosi, 5-fidi, longitudine unguiculares, nervis ad sinum divisis, fauce parùm dilatatâ: laciniis lingulatis, apice nervis marginalibus validis confluentibus incrassatis, obtusis, nervis secundariis recurrentibus ad basin laciniarum usque manifestis! periphærici fœminei, pauci, simplici ordine digesti, uniformes, tenuissimè filiformes, bilabiati, non radiati, fauce coarctati: labiis minutis; interiore bifido, laciniis linearibus, revolutis; exteriore ligulam abbreviatam, linearem, obtusè tridentatam constitente. Antheræ basi bisetæ (setis inæqualibus cuspidatis) appendiculâ lineari-ligulatâ, obtusâ, cartilagineâ coronatæ. Stigma masculis bilobum, lobis brevibus, crassis, obtusissimis, minutè papillosis; fœmineis longè exsertum, bipartitum: laciniis semicylindricis, obtusis, lævibus, recurvis. Achenia fusiformia, compressa, pilosiuscula, apice tantùm angustata: disco epigyno dilatato. Pappus capillaris, fulvellus, nec stipitatus: radiis inæqualibus, minutè denticulatis, dupli ordine copiosissimis.

This interesting genus is also allied to the *Inuleæ* and *Cichoraceæ*.

choraceæ. Its entire capitulum may be compared with that of *Gnaphalium*, and its soft stipitate pappus with that of *Lactuca*, thus showing that the genus is to be regarded as constituting an osculant group between the three families. The modification of the apex of the achénium proves that the stipitate pappus is not a character of generic importance in *Leria*.

Trib. 6. DIAZEUXEÆ. *Receptaculum* subpaleatum. *Flosculi* (raro dioici!) *disci* hermaphroditi, tubulosi, 5-dentati; *radii* ligulati, fœminei, nunc bilabiati. *Antherarum setis* nudis. *Plantæ* sèpè fruticosæ, *capitulis* plerumque solitariis, magnis, *pedunculatis*.

DIAZEUXIS.

ATRACTYLIDIS SP., L.

ONOSERIDIS SP., Willd.

Flores dioici! *Receptaculum* alveolatum.

Flores dioici! *Involucrum* sphæroideum, multiplici serie imbricatum: *squamis* innumeris, lanceolatis, acuminatis, coriaceis, rigidis, adpressis. *Receptaculum* alveolatum: *alveolis* margine laciniato-fimbriatis. *Flosculi* masculi creberrimi, cylindrico-tubulati, 5-nervii, limbo 5-fidi: *laciniis* linearibus, obtusis, canaliculatis, recurvato-patulis, nervis prominentibus apice confluentibus, hinc margine apiceque incrassatis: *ligulis* plurimis, accessoriis, patulis, substantiâ coriaceis, obtusè trilobis, 6-nerviis (nervis per paria lacinarum discum occupantibus, paribus intermediis magis approximatis) nunc neutris unilabiatis, nunc pistillo (an sterili?) staminum rudimentis, labioque interiore simplici, angustissimo, canaliculato, obtuso, binervio, coriaceo, recurvato, basi dilatato auctis; *fœminei* copiosissimi, filiformes, 5-nervii, coriacei, basi callosâ, difformes; *centrales* limbo æquali,

5-partito;

5-partito; *marginales* non radiantes, limbo irregulari, ob laciniā quintam (interiorem) profundiūs sejunctam, indē quasi bilabiati: *segmentis* linearibus, obtusis, subsecundis, canaliculatis, nervis prominulis, summo apice confluentibus. *Filamenta* linearī-angustissima, compressa, glabra. *Antheræ* semi-exsertæ, in tubum connatæ, appendiculâ linearī-lanceolatâ, obtusâ, coriaceâ, rigidâ, ipsâ antherâ breviore coronatæ, basi longè biaristatæ: *aristis* linearibus, setaceo-acuminatis, canaliculatis, antherâ longioribus, æqualibus. *Stylus* filiformis, basi bulbosus. *Stigma* masculis pentagonum! obtusum, indivisum; ligulis tereti-clavatum, lœve, exsertum; fœmineis bipartitum, exsertum: *lobis* linearī-lingulatis, obtusis, pruinosis, persæpè spiraliſer convolutis. *Achenia* linearī-oblonga, compressa, glaberrima. *Pappus* masculis cinereus, caducus: *radiis* inæqualibus, paleaceo-setaceis, complanatis, longissimis, denticulis spinulosis exasperatis, apice acuto, nunc subpenicillato, infrâ medium flexuosis, simplici tantùm ordine digestis; fœmineis capillaris, persistens, albus: *radiis* tripliſerie confertissimis, denticulato-scabris, longioribus basi latiore subpaleaceâ.

Frutices niveo-lanati. Folia alterna, petiolata, integra. Flores terminales, plerumque solitarii, sessiles, magni, purpurei, cernui.

Nomen a διαζεύξις separatio, et generi huic imposuit, ob flores raros esse dioicos in hac familiâ.

This is without doubt the most remarkable genus of the whole family. It is dioecious, and, in the structure of the capitula and pappus of the male and female flowers, it differs as much as *Antennaria*. The male capitula are very much smaller, and besides the male florets of which they are composed, there is a single series of ligulate florets, either with or without pistilla, and

and having imperfect stamens. The florets of the female capitulum differ in the disposition of their laciniae; for in the central ones the limb is regularly five-cleft, whereas in those of the circumference it is somewhat bilabiate, the inner segment being more deeply separated than the rest. The two sexes of this plant might be readily mistaken for two distinct genera. The *Atractylis mexicana* of Linnæus I have ascertained to be the male sex of a third species of this genus. Of this interesting plant, for which I propose the name of *Diazeuxis Mutisiana*, I have had an opportunity of examining the original sample in the Linnæan herbarium.

1. D. *trinervis*, foliis lanceolatis acuminatis triplinerviis, floribus solitariis.

Aster trinervis. Herb. R. et P.

In Guayaquilâ Peruvianorum. *Tafalla.* h.

Frutex erectus, ramosus, niveo-lanatus, semperfiores, omnium speciosissimus. *Rami* teretes, striati, lanugine albâ fugaci vestiti. *Folia* alterna, breviter petiolata, lanceolata, acuminata, margine denticulis plurimis acutis ornata, nunc raro integerrima, 5-nervia, nervis lateralibus extimis ferè obsoletis, hinc quasi triplinervia, membranacea, basi obtusâ, suprà denudata, lætè viridia, et lucida, subtùs lanâ implexâ copiosissimâ niveâ, demùm fulvescenti, vestita, 3—5-pollicaria, pollicem v. sesquipollicem lata. *Petioi* suprà canaliculati, 2—3 lineas longi, basi paulò dilatati. *Flores* terminales, solitarii, sessiles, nutantes, purpurei; *fæminei* magnitudine et facie ferè *Cnici centauroides*, diametro 2-pollicares; *masculi* triplò minores. Cætera omnino ut in charactere generico.

2. D. ? ser-

2. D.? *serrata*, foliis ovato-lanceolatis acutis dentato-serratis
penninerviis, floribus glomeratis.

Carduus mitis. *Herb. S. et M.*

In Mexico. *Sesse et Mocinno.* h.

Frutex erectus, ramosus. *Rami* sulcato-angulati, undique omnino albo-lanati. *Folia* alterna, brevissimè petiolata, spithamea, ovato-lanceolata, acuta, dentato-serrata, dentibus triangulari-ovatis, mucronatis, leviter antrorsum uncinatis, aliis minimis interjectis, penninervia, nervis obliquè transversis, costâque mediâ validâ prominentibus, suprà demum calva, viridia, punctisque elevatis copiosissimis asperiuscula, subtus lanâ albâ densè implexâ copiosissimè vestita, 5—7-pollicaria, 2—3 uncias lata, basi acutâ integerrimâ. *Petoli* crassi, brevissimi, vix sesquilineam longi. *Flores* terminales, plures (5—10), sessiles, glomerati. *Involucra* globosa, densè lanata: *squamis* multiplici ordine lanceolatis, acuminatis, rigidis, adpressis. *Receptaculum* planum, scrobiculatum, angulis elevatis, acutis exasperatum. *Flosculi* perfecti nondum observati: *pappo* setaceo, scabro.

Having only seen specimens of this with the capitula in a very young state, it has been placed here solely from the habit of the plant itself and from the structure of its involucrum. What relates to the florets still remains undetermined.

CENTROCLINIUM.

Receptaculum aculeatum. *Flosculi* *disci* tubulosi, hermaphroditi; *radii* ligulati, fœminei.

Involucrum subglobosum, multiplici ordine imbricatum: *squamis* lanceolatis, acuminatis, coriaceis, adpressis. *Receptaculum* aculeatum: *aculeis* subulatis, callosis, rigidis, brevibus, in circulis plurimis dispositis. *Flosculi* *disci* hermaphroditi, tubulosi,

tubulosi, æquales, 5-dentati, latere interiore profundiùs fissi, hinc limbus perinde obliquus: *segmentis* lanceolato-linearibus, obtusis, erectis, nervis primariis validis, apice confluentibus, inde incrassatis; *radii* foeminei, plures (10—14), rudimentis staminum omnino destituti, bilabiati; *labio exteriore* (ligulâ) longissimo, obtusè trilobato, coriaceo, subtùs lanato, 6-nervio, nervis per paria utriusque lobi discum occupantibus, strictis, parallelis, apice confluentibus; *interiore* profundè bipartito, membranaceo, spiraliter revoluto: *segmentis* linearì-filamentosis, margine primùm conglutinatis. *Filamenta* glandulosa. *Antheræ* basi aristis 2 longis, attenuatis, munitæ, appendiculâ lanceolato-lineari, acutâ, coriacea, rigidâ coronatæ. *Stylus* filiformis, basi depresso-bulbosus. *Stigma* hermaphroditis bilobum: *lobis* lingulatis, minutè papillosis; foemineis tereti-clavatum (*lobis* primò arctè applicatis), pruinatum. *Achenia* pentagona, demùm glabrata. *Pappus* fuscescens, basi fulvus; *radiis exterioribus* brevibus, pilosis; *interioribus* duplii serie longissimis, setaceis, supernè dilatato-complanatis, denticulatis, deciduis.

Frutex ramosissimus, sempervirens, candidissimus. Rami teretes. Folia alterna, petiolata, lanceolata, acuminata, dentata, coriacea, penninervia, nervis oblique transversis, suprà demùm nuda, viridia, polita, subtùs copiosè ut et rami niveo-tomentosa, mollissima, basi cuneatâ, integerrimâ, sesqui- v. nunc ferè tri-pollicaria, unciam, aut et dimidium ad medium lata. Petioli semicylindrici, 2 v. 3 lineas longitudine æquantes. Flores purpurei? solitarii, longè pedunculati. Pedunculus cylindricus, primò quasi terminalis, sed prodeunte ramulo revera lateralis, 5—10-uncialis. Radius pollicaris.

Nomen a κεντρον stimulus, et κλινη lectus, et ab ipso receptaculum

culum spinulosum, hujus stirpis optimum characterem constitutens, designare volui.

The *Onoseris salicifolia* of M. Kunth may possibly belong to this genus; but not having had an opportunity of examining a sample of it, I am unable to determine this point at present. It cannot belong to *Onoseris*, which has the habit of the *Perdiceæ*, and with which tribe the genus must be associated.

1. C. *albicans*.

Hieracium albicans. *Herb. R. et P.*

In Peruviâ. *Ruiz et Pavon.* 5.

CHÆTACHLÆNA.

Receptaculum favosum. *Flosculi disci* hermaphroditi, tubulosi, 5-dentati; *radii* fœminei, ligulati.

Involucrum semiglobosum, polyphyllum: *squamis* numerosissimis, quadruplici circiter serie imbricatis, lanceolatis, in setam longam, recurvato-patentem prodeuntibus. *Receptaculum* favosum, dentato-scabrum. *Flosculi radii* plures, fœminei, ligulati, unilabiati, trilobati, 6-nervii (nervis per paria discum laciniarum occupantibus) fœminei? staminum rudimentis; *disci* hermaphroditi, tubulosi, 5-dentati, tubo infra medium angustiore, fauce cylindricâ, latere exteriore profundiùs fissi: *nervis* 5 primariis ad laciniarum sinus divisus: *dentibus* linearibus, obtusis. *Antheræ* appendiculâ linearî-lanceolatâ, acutiusculâ, coriaceâ coronatæ, basi setis 2, longis, tenuissimis, simplicibus munitæ. *Stigma* hermaphroditis inclusum, emarginatum, obtusum; fœmineis exsertum, magnum, indivisum, clavatum, pruinosum. *Achenia* cuneato-oblonga, pilosiuscula. *Pappi radiis* persistentibus, triplici ordine digestis, copiosis; *interioribus* compressis, rigidis, serrulatis; *extimis* brevissimis, pilosis.

Herba

Herba annua, niveo-lanata, facie Cryptostemmatis calendulacei.
Radix longissima, descendens, fulvella, fibris plurimis, capil-
laceis munita. Caules plures, procumbentes, simplices v. di-
visi, palmates aut spithamæi. Folia alterna, petiolata, ovata,
mucronata, sinuato-dentata, nunc sublyrata, dentibus inæqua-
libus, mucronatis, distantibus, membranacea, maximè fragilia,
triplinervia, subtùs densius lanata, mollissima, pollicaria v. ses-
quipollicaria, semunciam v. unciam latitudine æquantia ; ra-
dicalia longius petiolata. Flores solitarii, longè pedunculati,
pulcherrimi, odorati ; diametro sesqui-unciales. Pedunculi
filiformes, uniflori, assurgententes, nunc ex ipsâ radice ortum
ducentes, stricti, palmates v. spithamæi, lanuginosi, squamulâ
unicâ setacea muniti. Radius atropurpureus, vix semuncialis.

Discus pallidior. Pappus cinereo-fulvellus.

Nomen a χατη̄ seta, et χλαινα involucrum.

1. C. odorata.

Leysera odorata. Herb. R. et P.

In Guayaquilâ Peruvianorum. Tafalla. ♂.

Chætachlæna is intimately allied to the preceding genus ; the structure of the florets and pappus proves this most satisfactorily ; and the elongated almost cirrhose points of the scales of the involucrum compared with the tendrils of the leaves of *Mutisia*, as well as the woolly habit of the plant, and the general resemblance of the flower, appear to me to indicate considerable affinity to that genus. The leaves of this genus and of *Mutisia lanata* are extremely fragile in the dried state.

EUTHRIXIA.

Receptaculum scrobiculatum. Flosculi disci hermaphroditi, tu-
bulosi, 5-dentati ; radii fœminei, bilabiati.

Involucrum campanulatum, polyphyllum, basi attenuatum : squa-
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mis quadruplici circiter ordine imbricatis, obtusis, membranaceis, margine scariosis. Receptaculum depresso, scrobiculatum. Flosculi disci numerosi, hermaphroditi, tubulosi, basi angustati : limbo obtusè 5-dentato, subæquali ; dentibus 2 exterioribus majoribus, profundiùsque sejunctis : nervis primariis ad sinum laciniarum bifidis, ramis marginalibus : radii plures, fœminei, bilabiati, staminibus sterilibus ; labio exteriore ligulato, elliptico-oblongo, 4-nervio (nervis extimis longè intramarginalibus) apice obtusè tridentato ; interiore linearì-angustissimo, recto, acutè bidentato. Antheræ appendiculâ linearì-lanceolatâ acutâ, cartagineo-membranaceâ coronatæ, basi setis 2, longis tenuissimis, puberulis ipsâ antherâ longioribus munitæ. Stigma clavatum, bilobum : lobis obtusis, conniventibus, minutè papillosum. Achenia linearì-oblonga, compressa, punctis elevatis, crystallinis copiosè ornata : disco epigyno parùm dilatato, concavo. Pappus pilosus, persistens : radiis simplici ordine contiguis, æqualibus, tenuissimè denticulatis.

Herba erecta, ramosa, tenella, fragilis, palmaris v. spithamea, omnino glaberrima, radice fibrosâ, annuâ. Rami elongati, erecto-patentes, filiformes, purpurascentes, nitiduli, virgati, rigidiusculi, foliosi. Folia alterna, sessilia, linearì-subulata, mucronulata, subcarnosa, glabra, subtùs convexa, suprà concava, margine glandulosa, basi adpressâ remanenti, semuncialia v. parùm ultra ; superiora sensim breviora, et in foliolis involucri abeuntia, nunc rarò semipollicem longa. Flores terminales, pro ratione plantæ magni, solitarii, v. pauci laxè corymbosi, sessiles. Involucrum semipollicare, omnino lève : squamis scarioso-membranaceis, nitidis, nunc purpurascensibus. Flosculi aurei. Pappus niveus.

Nomen ab *εν benē*, et *θριξ capillus* (i. e. benè comatus), et ad pappum refert.

1. *E. salsoloides.*

In Chili. Ruiz et Pavon. ♂.

The naked receptacle, the rays of the pappus disposed in a simple series, and the habit of the plant itself, readily distinguish this genus from the rest of this group.

Trib. 7. MUTISEÆ. *Receptaculum nudum. Flosculi difformes : disci tripartito-bilabiati. Antherarum aristis subplumosis. Stigmata obtusa, pruinosa, partim connata. Frutices sœpè scandentes, foliis apice cirrhosis !*

MUTISIA, L.

Involucrum polyphyllum, multiplici serie imbricatum : squamis latis, integerrimis. Receptaculum nudum. Flosculi radii foeminei, ligulati : ligula ampla, multinervia (nervis 10 v. 15 parallelis, nunc supernè dichotomis, extimis longè intra-marginalibus), apice tridentata, fauce sœpè ad interius dentibus (labello interiore) accessoriis linear-setaceis munita ; disci masculi : tubo 10-nervio : limbo altè tripartito-bilabiato ; labio interiore bipartito, revoluto, segmentis binerviis ; exteriore multò majore, ligulato, 8-nervio (nervis alternis secundariis prope apicem omnino oblitteratis) obtusè tridenticulato. Antheræ omnino exsertæ, in tubum connatae, appendiculâ longissimâ, linear-ligulatâ, obtusâ, coriacea terminatae, basi biaristatae : aristis prælongis, pubescentibus, subplumosis. Stylus basi callosus. Stigma bilobum : lobis obtusis, pruinosis. Achenia linearia, compresso-quadrangula, glabra : disco epigyno parùm dilatato. Pappus deciduus : radiis validis, compressiusculis, filamentoso-plumosis, simplici ordine copiosis, contiguis : villis mollissimis, caducis.

Frutices

Frutices (Amer. Austr.) scandentes, Vicias facie æmulantes. Folia alterna, pinnata v. simplicia, apice cirrho (foliolis abortivis aut costæ elongatione) pinnatè partito v. simplici, spirali instructa! Flores solitarii, magni, speciosi, purpurei v. lutei.

The presence or absence of the labellum in the rays is evidently a character of no importance in this genus. Its mutability even in species otherwise intimately allied, shows that it cannot be employed with advantage as a sectional distinction; and in those species where it is less developed, I hardly think it of specific importance. The younger Linnæus in his description of *Mutisia Clematis* appears to have mistaken the two lobes of the labellum for the rudiments of stamina. Humboldt and Bonpland have represented and described their *Mutisia grandiflora* (*Pl. Eq. i. t. 50.*) as having the florets of the disk tubular, and equally five-toothed. This is clearly an error, for the origin of which it is difficult to account, as we know of no species with a similar structure; and indeed this character, if really present, would alone be sufficient to justify its removal from *Mutisia*: but its evident affinity to *M. Clematis*, which would also have led us to expect the presence of an interior labellum in the rays, induces us to reject this opinion, and to regard the description and figure in the *Plantes Equinoxiales* as erroneous in these respects. I am not satisfied that this is really distinct from *M. Clematis* of the *Supplementum Plantarum*, as the sample of the latter preserved in the Linnæan herbarium appears to approach very near to it, even as regards the size of the flower, which is erroneously compared by the younger Linnæus to the *Dianthus caryophyllus*. They both agree in having the leaflets on distinct footstalks, which the plant of Cavanilles appears to want entirely. This last being from Peru, may prove to be a distinct species. The most remarkable character in *Mutisia* is the number of vessels

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in the corolla, which are from 10 to 15 in the florets of the circumference, and 10 in those of the disk. These vessels are generally of the same thickness, and all originate from the base; but in the exterior lip of the centre florets, where they are eight in number, the alternate ones are more slender, and disappear before they reach the apex of the laciniæ. The number of vessels is uniform in the nine species here enumerated, and there is every probability of its being general throughout the rest of the genus. This character and the pubescent setæ of the antheræ show an intimate affinity between *Mutisia* and *Bichenia*, before described.

* *Foliis pinnatis.*

1. *M. lanata*, niveo-lanata; foliis 7-jugis, involucris subrotundis: squamis appendiculatis cirrhosis, radiis copiosis bilabiatis, caule alato.

Mutisia lanata. *Ruiz et Pavon Syst. Veg. Fl. Peruv. et Chil.* p. 192. *Gen. Pl. t. 23.*

In Peruviæ nemoribus prope Muna vicum in Pozuzo viâ.
Ruiz et Pavon. h.

Planta fruticosa, scandens, copiosè niveo-lanata. *Caules angustati*, plerumque 4-anguli, alati: *alis foliaceis*, retrorsum dentatis, dentibus triangulari-lanceolatis, acutis. *Folia alterna*, sessilia, pinnata, palmaria v. spithamea: *rachis subtus convexa*, suprà canaliculata, margine alata, basi dilatata: *pinnis* 6—7-jugis, lanceolatis, obtusiusculis, integer-rimis, planis, subtus densè lanatis, suprà hinc nudiusculis, nunc (præsertim in junioribus) lanatis, basi latâ decurrentibus, 2 v. $2\frac{1}{2}$ -pollicaribus, semunciam v. ultra latis; *imis* 2 stipulas mentientibus, caulem amplexantibus. *Cirrhi* (*foliola abortiva*) pinnatè partiti: *segmentis* (3—5) filiformi-compressis,

compressis, obtusis, spiraliter revolutis. *Flores terminales, solitarii, magni, omnium formosissimi, pedunculati, diametro ferè 3 pollices adæquantes.* *Pedunculi spithamæi, cylindrici, pennâ corvinâ parùm crassiores, apicem versus foliolis simplicibus cirrhosis muniti.* *Involucrum amplum, subrotundum, truncatum, longitudine et latitudine 2 uncias adæquans: squamis ellipticis, adpressis, latissimis, membranaceis, appendice (præsertim in exterioribus) sæpè pollicari, lanceolatâ, longissimè subulato-acuminatâ, apice obtusâ, cirrhosâ, revolutâ auctis!* hinc squamæ involucri, ut omnibus appareant, tantùm folia sunt mutata. *Receptaculum planum, nudum.* *Flosculi radii plurimi (18—20) atro-sanguinei, fœminei, staminum rudimentis, bilabiati; labio exteriore ligulam amplam, bipollicarem, 3 lineas latam, subtùs lanatam, obtusè tridentatam, dependenti-patulam constitutæ; interiore profundè bipartito: laciñiis setaceis, apice bidentatis! revolutis; disci creberrimi, hermaphroditi, tubulati, tripartito-bilabiati: labiis revolutis; exteriore linear-i-ligulato, obtusè tridentato; interiore bipartito: laciñiis linearibus, obtusis: nervis primariis validis. *Filamenta angustè linearia, complanata, glabra, libera.* *Antheræ in tubum connatæ, nervo manifestissimo instructæ, basi bi-aristatæ: aristis unguicularibus, infernè attenuatis, basi ramulosis, subplumosis: appendiculâ linear-i-ligulatâ, obtusâ, cartilagineâ, ipsâ antherâ dimidio longiori.* *Stylus filiformis, laevis, basi incrassato-clavatus.* *Stigma bilobum: lobis brevibus, crassis, obtusissimis, pruinosis.* *Achenia radiis tetragona; disco oblongo-compressa, glabra.* *Pappus fuliginoso-cinereus, sesquipollicaris, mollissimus: radiis valdè plumosis, imâ basi connatis, ramulis demùm deciduis, tunc simplicibus.**

2. *M. viciæfolia*, glabriuscula ; foliolis 12-jugis, involucro cylindrico : squamis inappendiculatis, radiis paucis unilabiatis, caule tereti.

Mutisia viciæfolia. *Cav. Ic.* 5. *p. 62. t. 490.* *Willd. Sp. Pl.* 3. *p. 2069.* *Lam. Illustr.* 6. *t. 690. f. 2.*

In Chili prope Valparaiso. *Ludovicus Née, Ruiz et Pavon.* ½.

Planta fruticosa, scandens, Viciis quibusdam facie ferè similis.

Caules teretes, rubri, striati, tenuissimè pubescentes. *Folia* alterna, sessilia, pinnata, 3—4-uncialia : *rachi* teretiusculâ, pubescenti, margine superiore angustè alatâ : *foliolis* plurimis (10—13-jugis) ellipticis lanceolatisve, acuminatis, inæquilateris, glabris, semunciam v. nunc ferè pollicem longis. *Cirrhi* pinnatè partiti : *laciniis* 3—5, subulatis, obtusiusculis, revolutis, semuncialibus. *Flores* in dichotomiis solitarii, longè pedunculati. *Pedunculi* cylindrici, striati, minutè pubescentes, 3—5-unciales, apice incrassati. *Involucrum* tubulato-cylindricum, lœve, bipollicare : *squamis* latissimis, integerrimis, lœvissimis, adpressis, nudis, nec appendiculatis ; *extimis* brevissimis, ovatis, acutis ; *interioribus* oblongis, mucronulatis ; nunc in juventute lanigeris. *Receptaculum* nudum. *Flosculi* *radii* pauci (6—8), fœminei, atropurpurei, unilabiati, ligulâ oblongâ, patenti, obtusè tridenticulatâ, subtûs glabrâ, involucro duplò breviore, rudimentis staminum nullis ; *disci* hermaphroditi, pallidiores, plures (16—17), tubulosi, tripartito-bilabiati : *labiis* erectis ; *exteriore* trifido, lobis linear-lanceolatis, obtusis ; *interiore* bipartito, laciniis linearibus, obtusiusculis : *nervis primariis* validis. *Antheræ* biunciales, appendiculâ linearî, acuminatâ, unguiculari coronatæ, basi longè biaristatæ : *aristis* complanatis, infernè capillaceo-attenuatis. *Stigma* *radiis* bifidum, segmentis linearibus, acutis, pruinosis ; *disco* *bifolium,*

lobum, lobis obtusiusculis, minutè papillosum. *Achenia* radiis quadrangula, glabra; disco compressa, laevia. *Pappus* fulvellus, mollissimus, plumosus.

3. *M. acuminata*, glabra; foliolis multijugis, involucro pyramidalis lanuginoso; squamis exterioribus ovatis reflexis, caule teretiusculo.

Mutisia acuminata. *Ruiz et Pavon Syst. Veg. Fl. Peruv. et Chil. i. p. 192.*

In praeruptis, collibus et sepibus Tarmæ et Haurocheri ubique. *Ruiz. h.*

Planta frutescens, 6-pedalis. *Caulis* scandens, ramosissimus, glaber, fragilis, tereti-angulatus. *Folia* alterna, pinnata, cirrho furcato terminata: *foliola* lanceolata, acuminata, integerrima, glabra, sessilia: *extima* minora, subacinaciformia, leviter decurrentia. *Pedunculi* terminales, foliosi, uniflori, folio oppositi. *Calyx* pyramidalis, ovato-oblongus, imbricatus, lanuginosus, extùs coloratus: *squamis* 24, concavis; *exterioribus* ovatis, reflexis; *interioribus* lanceolato-cuneiformibus. *Corollulæ* plures in disco hermaphroditæ, flammeæ; *fæmineæ* septem in radio, aureæ v. flavæ. *Pappus* plumosus. *Ruiz MSS.*

Obs. Vulgò *Chinchinculma* nuncupatur. Floret Maio et Julio.

Ruiz MSS.

There being no specimen of this species in the Herbarium of Ruiz and Pavon, and as the plant has been only known by the short specific character contained in the work above-quoted, I have thought that the above description, derived from the manuscripts of Ruiz, might not prove unacceptable to my botanical readers.

4. *M. arachnoidea*, lanigera; foliolis subseptemjugis, involucri squamis

squamis ovato-lanceolatis acuminatis, radiis copiosis bilabiatis : ligulis linearibus revolutis.

Mutisia arachnoidea. *Mart. MSS.*

M. speciosa, *Bot. Mag. t. 2705.*

In Brasiliâ ad Rio de Janeiro. *Martius.* ½.

Planta suffruticosa, ramosissima, scandens, lanâ cinereâ, copiosâ, fugaci, arachnoideâ vestita, quandoque omnino lâviuscula evadit. *Caulis* 5-gonus. *Folia* alterna, sessilia, pinnata, palmaria, patentissima : *pinnæ* alternæ, 12—14, elliptico-oblongæ, obsoletè mucronulatæ, integerrimæ, membranaceæ, basi angustatâ substipitatæ, posticibus saepius rotundatis, nec attenuatis, pollicem v. sesquipollicem longæ, 6—8 lineas latæ : *rachis* simplicissima, purpurascens, suprà planiuscula, canaliculata, subtùs carinata, apice in cirrum pinnatè partitum, cuius laciniæ filiformes spiraliter contortæ, prodeunte. *Flores* terminales, solitarii, pedunculati. *Pedunculi* erecti, teretiusculi, inde planiusculi, spithamæi. *Involucrum* oblongum, cylindricum, imbricatum, apice paululum coarctatum : *squamis* ovato-lanceolatis, acuminatis, membranaceis, extùs præsertim ad oram lanuginosis, nunc omnino glabris ; *exterioribus* patentibus, basi tantùm adpressis ; *intimis* oblongis, conniventibus, apice rotundatis, mucronulatis, margine lanuginosis. *Receptaculum* nudum. *Flosculi* radii bilabiati, rubri, plurimi (15—20) fœminei, staminibus sterilibus, tubo compressiusculo longitudine involucri : *ligulâ* lineari, tridentatâ, revolutâ, involucro triplo breviore, quandoque bipartitâ ; *labio interiore* paulò breviore, pallido, bipartito, laciniis lineari-angustissimis, spiraliter revolutis, primùm margine conglutinatis ; *disci* hermaphroditi, albi, tubulosi, bilabiati : *labiis* revolutis ; *exteriore* ligulato, tridentato, 4-nervio ; *interiore* bipartito, laciniis linearibus obtusis, binnerviis. *Filamenta* linearia, compressa, minutissimè glandulosa.

dulosa. *Antheræ* in tubum pentagonum coalitæ, appendiculâ linearî, obtusâ terminatæ, basi bisetosæ : *setis* longis, basi ramulosis. *Stylus* filiformis, glaber, basi incrassatus. *Stigma* bilobum : *lobis* brevissimis, obtusis, papillosis, partim connatis. *Achenia* compressiuscula, disco parùm concava, non dilatata, glabra. *Pappi* radiis copiosis, contiguis, plumosis, cinereo-fulvellis, mollissimis.

The appellation of *speciosa* being so truly inapplicable to this species, I have preferred the unpublished one given to it by Dr. Martius. The plant was imported into this country from some continental nursery, where the name of *speciosa* no doubt originated.

** *Foliis pinnatifidis, basi decurrentibus.*

5. *M. retrorsa*, niveo-lanata ; foliis runcinatis, caule tereti.
Mutisia retrorsa. *Cav. Ic. 5. p. 65. t. 498.*
M. runcinata. *Willd. Sp. Pl. 3. p. 2069. Hook. Bot. Misc. 1. p. 8. t. 5.*
In Chili (*Ruiz et Pavon*) ; ad Fretum Magellanicum. *Ludovicus Née et P. P. King. h.*

Planta suffruticosa, sesqui- v. bipedalis. *Caulis* scandens, cylindricus, flexuosus, undique lanâ fugaci niveâ copiosè obrutus, demùm nudus. *Folia* alterna, basi decurrenti edentulâ, lanceolata, acuminata, runcinata, coriacea, margine revoluta, subtùs densè niveo-lanata, costâ prominenti, suprà minùs copiosè lanata, et tandem denudata, perlucida, uncialia v. sesquiuncialia, 10 lineas v. paulò ultra lata : *lobis* triangulari-ovatis, spinoso-mucronatis. *Cirrhi* simplicissimi, nunc bipartiti, compresso-filiformes, obtusiusculi, revoluti, glabri, vix unciales. *Flores* terminales, solitarii, subsessiles. *Involucrum* unciale, cylindricum : *squamis* subrotundo-ovalibus, adpressis ; *exterioribus* appendice lanceolatâ, spinoso-mucronatâ,

mucronatâ, ipsâ squamâ breviore, patulâ; *intimis* mucronulatis, margine lanuginosis. *Receptaculum* nudum. *Flosculi lutei!* *radii* plures (8—14) fœminei, bilabiati, staminibus sterilibus; *labio exteriore* ampio, ligulato, obtusè tridenticulato, patulo; *interiore* bipartito, laciniis linearibus, revolutis; *disci* tubulato-bilabiati; *labio exteriore* trifido; *interiore* angustiore, bipartito; utroque revoluto. *Antheræ* basi setis 2, attenuatis, simplicibus, longis aristatæ, appendiculâ linearî, apice inflexâ, cartilagineâ, interius carinatâ coronatæ. *Stylus* teres, validus. *Stigma* bilobum: *lobis* brevissimis, crassis, obtusis, conniventibus, pruinosis. *Pappus* plumosus, cinereus, mollissimus.

6. *M. sinuata*, nudiuscula; foliis pinnatifidis basi attenuatis, caule alato.

Mutisia sinuata. *Cav. Ic. 5. p. 66. t. 499. Willd. Sp. Pl. 3. p. 2070.*

In Chili. *Ruiz et Pavon. 5.*

Caulis suffruticosus, scandens, flexuosus, alatus: *alis* dentatis, interruptis, quòd basin versus attenuatis, ibique oblitteratis, nec continuatis. *Folia* alterna, linearia, pinnatifida, dentata v. grossè serrata, margine revoluta, basi attenuata, decurrentia, subcoriacea, utrinque nunc leviter lanuginosa, tunc (præcipue in *adultioribus*) glabriuscula, pollicaria v. paulò ultra: *lobis* ovatis, mucronatis, retrorsis v. sæpiùs porrecto-patulis. *Cirrhi* simplices, subulati, corneo-mucronati, folio dimidio breviores, recurvati, vix revoluti. *Flores* terminales, solitarii, sessiles. *Involucrum* cylindricum, vix longitudine unciale: *squamis* subrotundis, adpressis, lævissimis, margine tantùm lanuginosis; *exterioribus* appendice lanceolatâ, acuminatâ, strictâ, glabrâ auctis. *Flosculi* purpurei? *radii* 8, fœminei, ligulati, unilabiati, staminum rudimentis; *disci* plures

plures (15) tubulato-bilabiati, hermaphroditi; *labio exteriore* ligulato, tridentato; *interiore* bipartito, revoluto. *Antheræ* basi longè bisetæ, appendiculâ linearî cartilagineâ coronatæ. *Stigma* bilobum, pruinosum. *Pappus* cinereus, valdè plumosus, mollissimus.

*** *Foliis amplexicaulibus, tantum dentatis.*

7. *M. ilicifolia*, foliis cordato-oblongis spinuloso-serratis venosissimis, caule teretiusculo.

Mutisia ilicifolia. *Cav. Ic. 5. p. 63. t. 493. Willd. Sp. Pl. 3. p. 2069. Hook. Bot. Misc. 1. p. 7. t. 4.*

M. spinosa. *Ruiz et Pavon Syst. Veg. Fl. Peruv. et Chil. i. p. 193.*

In Chili copiosè ad Arauco arcem supra Colocolo montem intra fossas (*Ruiz et Pavon*); in summis montibus Chilensis Cordillera del Planchon dictis, et ad Cucha-Cucha. *Ludovicus Née*. *Caldcleugh. h.*

Planta suffruticosa, scandens, nunc lanâ fugacissimâ leviter ornata, tunc glaberrima, glauca. *Caulis* tripedalis v. ultra, teretiusculus, foliosus. *Rami* angulati, in plantis adhuc teneris alati. *Folia* alterna, amplexicaulia, conferta, subimbricata, cordato-oblonga, argutè æqualiterque dentato-serrata (dentibus spinulâ rigidâ brevissimâ terminatis) undulata, coriacea, reticulatim venosissima, apice truncata, costâ validâ basi dilatatâ, apice in cirrho simplici, filiformi, mucronulato, spiraliter revoluto productâ, pollicem v. sesqui-pollicem longa, 8—10 lineas lata. *Flos* terminalis, solitarius, brevissimè pedunculatus. *Pedunculus* squamis aliquot cordatis, coriaceis, denticulatis, apice recurvis munitus. *Involucrum* oblongum, unciale: *squamis exterioribus* appendice ovato-lanceolatâ, acuminatâ, reflexo-patenti, coriaceâ auctis; *interioribus* latissimis, adpressis, subrotundis, coriaceis, mucronulo

cronulo recurvo, lanuginoso. *Flosculi radii* fœminei, plures (8—10) bilabiati, intùs albi, extùs purpurei; *labio exteriore* elliptico-oblongo, apice tridenticulato, subtùs bicarinato; *interiore* brevissimo, bidentato, nunc simplici v. obsoleto; staminibus sterilibus; *disci* plurimi (20—30) hermaphroditi, tubuloso-bilabiati: *labiis* revolutis. *Antheræ* basi longè bisetæ, appendiculâ linearî obtusiusculâ coronatæ. *Stigma* bifidum: *lobis* recurvatis, apice paulò incrassatis, minutè papillosis. *Pappus* albus, mollissimus, plomosus.

8. *M. truncata*, foliis cordato-oblongis truncatis basi apiceque spinoso-dentatis undulatis subaveniis, caule angulato.

In Chili. *Caldcleugh.* h.

Planta suffruticosa, scandens, ramosissima, glabra. *Caulis* angulatus. *Folia* remotè alterna, sessilia, amplexicaulia, e basi cordatâ oblonga, lobis posticis truncatis, spinoso-dentatis, conniventibus, apice truncata, emarginata, dentibusque 2, spinosis, subremotis utrinque ornata, marginibus strictis, integerrimis; subcoriacea, rigida, utrinque glabra, glauco-viridia, sesqui- v. bipollucaria, vix unciam lata, venis vix manifestis, costâ utrinque prominulâ lævi, in cirrhum longissimum (3—4-unciale) filiformem, lævissimum, apice complanatum, spiraliter revolutum prodeunte. *Flores* terminales et alares solitarii, pedunculati. *Pedunculi* filiformes, unciales, glabri. *Involucrum* cylindricum, pedunculi longitudine: *squamis* subrotundis ovalibusve, adpressis, margine membranaceis; *extimis* appendice lanceolatâ, acutâ, coriacea, patentissimâ auctis; *interioribus* apice obsoletè mucronulatis et lanugine parcissimâ barbatis. *Receptaculum* nudum. *Flosculi radii* 8 circiter, purpurei, ligulati, fœminei, involucro longitudine æquales, obtusè tridentati, labello interiore obsoleto v. bidenticulato; *disci* hermaphroditi, tubulato-

lato-bilabiati; *labio exteriore* tridentato; *interiore* bipartito: *lacinias* linearibus, acutis, revolutis. *Antheræ* basi bisetæ (setis longis basi ramosis) appendiculâ linearî, antherâ ipsâ paulò longiori, apice conniventî, obtusiusculâ terminatæ. *Stigma bilobum*: *lobis* lingulatis, obtusis, pruinosis, sæpè facie interiore applicatis. *Pappus* valdè plumosus, mollissimus, cinereus.

For the opportunity of adding this truly distinct species to the genus *Mutisia* I am indebted to Mr. Caldbleugh, by whom specimens of it as well as of the preceding were transmitted to Mr. Lambert.

9. *M. latifolia*, foliis basi decurrentibus cordato-ovalibus spinoso-dentatis integerrimisve subtûs lanatis, radiis copiosis, caule alato.

In Chili ad Valparaiso. *D. Bridges.*

Caulis fruticosus, ramosus, scandens, alatus. *Rami* alati, foliosi: *alis* 3, latis, foliaceis, dentatis. *Folia* conferta, amplexicaulia, cordato-ovalia, coriacea, apice rotundata et emarginata, aut omnino truncata, margine dentato-serrata, undulata, dentibus spinoso-mucronatis, utrinque lanâ fugaci vestita, suprà demùm nuda, viridia, venis siccitate conspicuis, reticulatis, costâ basi latiore, apice in cirrhum longum (3-unciale) compressum, obtusum, spiraliter convolutum prodeunte; sesqui- v. bipollicaria, pollicem v. sesquipollicem lata: *lobis posticis* productis, rotundatis, sinu baseos decurrentibus. *Flos* terminalis, solitarius, subsessilis. *Involucrum* magnum, cylindricum, unciale, densè arachnoideo-lanatum; *squamis intimis* simplici ordine dispositis, limbo dilatato, rotundato, membranaceo, margine lanuginoso; *exterioribus* appendice ovato-lanceolatâ spinoso-mucronatâ, patenti auctis. *Flosculi* *radii* plures (14) rosei, ligulati, spathulato-

spathulato-oblongi, obtusè tridentato, multinervio, labello interiore aucti, hujus laciniæ lineares, erectæ, brevissimæ, staminibus sterilibus; *disci* circiter 30, tubulato-bilabiati: *tubo* 5-angulo: *labiis* revolutis; *exteriore* ligulato, obtusè tridentato; *interiore* bipartito: *segmentis* linearibus, obtusis, revolutis, binerviis. *Stamina* tubo inserta: *filamenta* compressa, pubescentia, apice articulata. *Antheræ* exsertæ, in tubum coalitæ, appendiculâ ligulatâ obtusâ callosâ coronatæ, basi bisetosæ: *setis* longis, compressis, canaliculatis, basi ramosis, nunc rariùs bipartitis. *Stylus* 5-angulus, basi clavatus, glaber. *Stigma* bilobum: *lobis* brevissimis, obtusis, minutè papillosis. *Achenia* ancipiti-compressa, leviter quadrangula, glabra: *disco epigyno* dilatato, planiusculo. *Pappus* sordidè cinereus: *radiis* simplici ordine copiosis, contiguis, plumosis, basi dilatatis, apice mucronulatis.

Specimens of this *Mutisia* were collected in the neighbourhood of Valparaiso by Mr. Thomas Bridges, an enterprising young botanist, from whose exertions we may confidently expect many valuable additions to the Chilian Flora. Mr. Bridges informs me that the plant flowers in October, and that the rays are pink.

**** *Foliis simplicibus, integerrimis.*

10. *M. inflexa*, foliis deflexis perangustis cirrhosis, involucri squamis appendiculatis.

Mutisia inflexa. *Cav. Ic.* 5. p. 65. t. 496. *Willd. Sp. Pl.* 3. p. 2070. *Hook. Bot. Misc.* 1. p. 9. t. 6.

M. subulata. *Ruiz et Pavon Syst. Veg. Fl. Peruv. et Chil.* i. p. 193.

M. linearifolia. *Hook. l. c.* p. 11. t. 8. non *Cav.*

In Chili in sylvis arenosis prope urbem Conceptionis (*Ruiz et Pavon*); ad Valparaiso et Cucha-Cucha. *Ludovicus Née.* h.

Caulis suffruticosus, scandens, teres, flexuosus, ramosissimus, ut

et tota planta lanâ fugacissimâ leviter instructus, cortice cinereo lævi obductus, altitudine maximè varians, nunc altissimus, sæpè 12-pedalis! *Ramuli* foliosi, tortuosi, angulati. *Folia* (laricina) alterna, sessilia, conferta, linearis-an-gustissima, coriacea, glabra, lætè viridia, nunc leviter lanuginosa, margine revoluta, integerrima, apice cirrho brevi trilineari v. unguiculari subulato, mucronulato, revoluto instructa, basi nunc rariùs longè decurrentia; *inferiora* deflexo-patula; *suprema* erecta, tantùm mucronata; sesqui-v. tripolligaria, quàm lineæ tertiatâ latitudine vix ampliora. *Flores* terminales, solitarii, sessiles. *Involucrum* cylindri-cum, longitudine unciale, demùm lævigatum; *squamis exterioribus* appendice lanceolatâ spinuloso-mucronatâ patulâ auctis; *interioribus* ovalibus, obtusis, nudis, adpressis. *Flosculi radii* sanguinei, plures (8—10), fœminei, staminibus sterilibus, ligulati, subbilabiati; *labello interiore* bidentato, dentibus brevissimis setaceis, nunc rariùs obsoletis v. nullis: *ligulâ* lanceolatâ, obtusè tridentatâ, involucro vix breviore: *tubo* filiformi, unciali; *disci* plurimi (20—25) hermaphro-diti, lutei, tubulato-bilabiati: *labiis* revolutis; *interiore* bi-partito; *altero* 3-dentato. *Antheræ* appendiculâ linearis, apice obtusâ, inflexâ, ipsâ antherâ ferè dimidio breviori coronatæ, basi biaristatæ: *aristis* subsimplicibus, sesqui-lineam longis, sursùm latioribus. *Stylus* filiformis. *Stigma* bilobum: *lobis* brevibus, obtusis, pruinosis. *Pappus* cine-reus, mollissimus, plumosus.

11. M. *linearifolia*, foliis erectis linearibus subimbricatis, involucri squamis inappendiculatis.
- Mutisia *linearifolia*. Cav. Ic. 5. p. 66. t. 500.
- M. *linifolia*. Hook. Bot. Misc. 1. p. 12. t. 9?
- In Chili cum præcedente. Ludovicus Née. n.

Caulis

Caulis erectus, dodrantalis. *Rami* teretes, cortice cinereo lœvi, foliosi. *Folia* duplò latiora, erecta, subimbricata, linearia, glabra, margine revoluta, mucrone recto instructa, uncialia v. sesquiuncialia, lineam v. sesquilineam lata. *Flos* terminalis, solitarius, sessilis. *Involucrum* tubulato-cylindricum, sesquiunciale, tandem lœvissimum: *squamis* ovalibus, obsoletè mucronulatis, dilatatis, margine superiore puberulis. *Flosculi* *radii* 8, purpurei, involucro breviores. *Pappus* albus, plumosus. Reliqua ut in præcedente, ad quam maximè, ut videtur, affinis sit hæc planta; sed satis discrepat foliis erectis duplò latioribus non cirrhosis, involucro longiore squamis inappendiculatis, atque ligulis brevioribus.

Trib. 8. BARNADESEÆ. *Receptaculum* paleaceo-villosum. *Flosculi* difformes v. regulares, 5-partiti. *Filamenta* nunc monadelpha! *Antheræ* basi quandoque muticæ! *Stigmata* crassa, conniventia, papilloso-pruinosa. *Frutices* erecti, *foliis* integerrimis.

BARNADESIA, L.

DIACANTHA. Lag.

BACASIÆ SP., Ruiz et Pavon.

Flosculi *radii* bilabiati, hermaphroditi; *disci* masculi, tubulosi. *Pappus* difformis.

Involucrum oblongum, basi ventricosum, multiplici ordine polyphyllum, imbricatum: *squamis* mucronatis, integerrimis, cartilagineis; *intimis* elongatis, radiantibus. *Receptaculum* paleis tenuissimis, capillaceis, longis, membranaceis, acutis, muticis, spiraliter tortuosis copiosissimè vestitum. *Flosculi* dissimiles; *disci* paucissimi (1—3) masculi, tubulati, 5-fidi, basi callosâ, genitalibus omnino inclusis: *nervis primariis*

validis, infrà laciniarum sinus profundè bipartitis; *secundariis* per paria interjectis, tenuioribus, ultra medium corollæ obscurioribus, demùm evanescentibus; *periphæriæ* plurimi (10—20) hermaphroditi, bilabiati, unicâ serie digesti, radiati, tubo longissimo, filiformi; *labio exteriore* ampio, ligulato, patulo, 4—5-fido, 5—6-nervio; *interiore* tenuissimo, subsetaceo, canaliculato, indiviso, uninervio. *Filamenta* in tubum cylindricum connata! membranacea, intùs villosa, nervo manifesto medium cujusque percurrenti; nunc rariùs omnino libera. *Antheræ* coalitæ, appendice linearì-lanceolatâ apice uncinatâ obtusâ cartilagineâ coronatæ, valvulis in filamentis decurrentibus, hinc basi simplices, muticæ. *Stylus* hermaphroditis teres, glaber; masculis subclavatus, pentagonus, stigmate emarginato, imberbi. *Stigma* hermaphroditis clavatum, bilabiatum: *lobis* crassis, brevibus, obtusis, apice subdilatatis, superficie minutè papillosis. *Achenia* turbinata, densè villosa. *Pappus* difformis; *periphæriæ* longus, eleganter plu-mosus, mollis, erectus: *radiis* simplici ordine copiosis (18—20) imâ basi connatis; *disci* setosus radiis plurimis (15—21) inæqualibus, subulatis, validis, recurvatis, hirsutis, vix plu-mosis, suprà planiusculis, imâ basi connatis, callosis.

Frutices (Amer. Æquin.) *sæpiùs spinosi*. Folia petiolata, integrifolia, mucronata, sæpè fasciculata. Spinæ (dum adsint folia esse mutata) geminæ, subulatæ. Flores solitarii sessiles v. plures terminales corymbosi, magni. Flosculi purpurei, sericeo-villosissimi. Pili receptaculi et achenii structurâ si-millimâ, fulvi. Pappus fulvus.

* *Flosculis disci nonnullis, tubulosis. Filamentis in tubum connatis. Propriæ.*

1. *B. spinosa*, foliis obovatis mucronatis nervosis, involucris pubescentibus;

bescentibus; squamis exterioribus ovatis acuminatis adpressis.

Barnadesia spinosa. Linn. Suppl. p. 348. Lam. Ill. t. 660? Willd. Sp. Pl. 3. p. 1705. Humb. et Bonpl. Pl. Æqu. 2. p. 176. t. 138. Kunth Syn. 2. p. 360.

In Andibus Novo-Granatensibus. Mutis. ½.

Frutex erectus, ramosus, rigidus, spinosus. *Rami* cylindrici, striati, leviter sulcati, glabriuscui, cortice purpureo induiti. *Ramuli* densè villosi. *Folia* fasciculata, petiolata, obovata, abruptè mucronata (mucrone setaceo, reflexo) integerrima, nervosa (nervis pluribus, arcuatis), parùm undulata, utrinque subvillosa, suprà viridia, demùm nudiuscula, subtùs pallidiora, basi attenuata, sesquipollicem longa, ferè pollicem lata. *Spinæ* patentes, aciculares, rigidæ, brunneæ, unciae dimidium et ultra longæ, basi sejunctæ. *Capitula* subpaniculata. *Involucrum* oblongum, basi ventricosum, obtusum, copiosè fulvescenti-pubescent, pollicare; *squamis exterioribus* ovatis, acuminatis (acumine subulato, spinescenti), adpressis, callosis, integerrimis; *intimis* linear-lanceolatis, mucronatis, elongatis, erectis, radiantibus. *Receptaculum* paleis capillaceis fulvis densè obsitum. *Flosculi periphæriæ* numerosi, dupli ordine digesti, hermaphroditæ, bilabiati: *tubo* cylindrico, lœvi; *labio exteriore* ligulato, quadrifido (laciis lanceolato-linearibus, acutis), 5-nervio, subtùs densè fulvescenti-villoso, sericeo; *interiore* minimo, simplici, setaceo, canaliculato; *disci* 3, masculi, tubulosi, 5-fidi, coriacei, extùs villosissimi, imâ basi callosâ, genitalibus longè inclusis. *Filamenta* in tubum membranaceum connata. *Antheræ* coalitæ, basi simplices, muticæ, appendiculâ ligulatâ obtusâ callosâ apice incurvatâ coronatæ. *Stigma* bilobum: *lobis* crassis, obtusissimis, brevibus, dilatatis,

tatis, supra concaviusculis, pruinosis. *Achenia* turbinata, fulvescenti-villosissima. *Pappus* fulvus, dissimilis; hermaphroditis plumosus, mollissimus, radiis copiosis (20—25) basi connatis; masculis setosus, radiis 20, subulato-setaceis, recurvatis, hirsutis, basi callosis, connatis.

The above description is taken from the original sample preserved in the Linnæan herbarium, and which had been communicated to Linnæus by Mutis. The figure in the *Plantes Equinoxiales* is a good representation of this species; but I am in doubt respecting that of Lamarck, which appears to approach nearer to the following. It is most probable that *B. spinosa* is peculiar to New Granada, and that the Peruvian plant said to be the same, is really distinct, and that it belongs to one of the other species I have enumerated.

2. *B. media*, foliis obovatis mucronatis subaveniis, floribus corymboso-paniculatis, involucris lanatis; squamis exterioribus lanceolatis mucronatis.

In Peruviâ. *Ruiz et Pavon.* 5.

Frutex erectus, ramosus, spinosus. *Rami* undique cinereo-pubescentes. *Spinæ* subulatæ, graciles, semunciales, rectæ, divaricato-patentes. *Folia* fasciculata, brevissimè petiolata, obovata, mucronata, integerrima, plana, basi attenuata, utrinque subsericea, subtùs leviter canescens, exsiccatione obsoletè venosa, pollicaria. *Flores* duplò minores, in ramulorum apice plures (8—10) corymboso-paniculati. *Pedunculi* uniflori, filiformes, tomentosi, unciales v. sesquunciales. *Involucra* campanulata, longitudine vix uncialia, basi paululùm attenuata, folio unico sæpiùs bracteata: *squamis* fulvo-lanatis; *exterioribus* lanceolatis, pungenti-acuminatis, demùm reflexis, squarrosis; *intimis* elongatis, linearibus, mucronatis, radiatis, revolutis! *Flosculi* radii 15, ligulâ

ligulâ semipollucari, laciniis linearibus obtusis : *pappo* plu-moso, mollissimo, radiis 18—20 erectis ; *disci* 3, infundi-buliformes, limbo 5-fidi : *pappo* subulato, rigido, radiis 15, recurvatis, hirsutis, dimidio brevioribus. Cætera omnino ut in genere.

3. *B. reticulata*, foliis elliptico-oblongis abruptè mucronulatis reticulato-venosis subtùs sericeis, involucri squamis adpressis nudiusculis nitidis.

In segetibus Tarmæ Peruvianorum. *Ruiz et Pavon.* n.

Frutex biorgyalis, erectus, ramosissimus, spinosus, cortice fusco. *Rami* dependentes, teretes, glabriuscui, apicem versus le-vissimè puberuli. *Ramuli* nutantes. *Spinæ* semunciales, horizontaliter patentes, nec divaricatæ, fulvæ, nitidæ. *Folia* in fasciculis paucissima (3—6) raro subsolitaria, elliptico-oblonga, abruptè mucronulata, integerrima, plana, substantiâ tenuiora, ferè membranacea, suprà, nisi ad venas primarias, nudiuscula, subtùs sericea, nervis plurimis obliquè parallelis, venisque ramosissimis connexis reticulata. *Capitula* multò majora, 8—10 subcorymbosa, terminalia, breviter pedunculata. *Involucra* oblonga, basi ventricosa, rotundata, longitudine sesquipollucaria, v. paulò ultra : *squa-mis* siccitate fulvo-coloratis, nitidis ; *exterioribus* ellipticis, subsericeis, abruptè mucronulatis, adpressis ; *intimis* elongatis, erectis ! acuminatis, radiantibus. *Flosculi* villosissimi. Cætera ut in præcedente.

4. *B. lanceolata*, foliis obovato-lanceolatis mucronatis aeniis utrinque sericeo-pubescentibus, floribus subsolitariis ses-silibus, involucris lanatis.

Bacasia lanceolata. *Ruiz et Pavon* *Mss.*

In Andibus Peruviae. *Ruiz et Pavon.* n.

Species

Species distinctissima. *Frutex ramosissimus*, rigidus, armatus. *Rami* teretes, flexuosi, glabriuscui. *Ramuli foliiferi* tomentoso-pubentes, nunc pollicares, infernè de lapsu foliorum tuberculati. *Spinæ* lignæ, validæ, subulatæ, divaricato-patentes, rectæ, rigidissimæ, ad basin ramorum geminatim oppositæ, vicem stipularum fungendæ, unciales v. sesquiunciales. *Folia* alterna, conferta, quasi fasciculata, obovato-lanceolata, mucronata, integerrima, plana, coriacea, utrinque avenia, pube ferrugineâ atomisque resinosis numerosissimis vestita, basi attenuata, petiolo ramis adnato suffulta, costâ mediâ conspicuâ; *adultiora* suprà nudiuscula. *Capitula* subsolitaria, sessilia. *Involucra* sesquipollucaria: *squamis* extùs, sed præsertim in junioribus, copiosè fulvo-lanuginosis, mollissimis; *intimis* elongatis, strictis, radiantibus; *exterioribus* ovatis, acuminatis, demùm revolutis, squarrosis. *Flosculi radii* magis copiosi (20) longiores, ligulâ ferè pollicari, 6-nerviâ, tubo involucri vix longitudine, filiformi; *disci* 3, infundibuliformes, masculi, limbo 5-fidi. *Pappus periphæriæ* radiis (20) eleganter plumosis, erectis, mollissimis, validioribus; *disci* 18, validis, rigidis, recurvatis, subulatis, hirsutis, infernè crassioribus, imâ basi connatis. Cætera ut in genere.

** *Flosculo disci solitario, tubuloso. Filamentis in tubum con-natis.*

5. B. *corymbosa*, inermis; foliis sparsis ovato-lanceolatis acuminatis nervosis, floribus corymbosis, involucris pubescen-tibus.

Bacasia *corymbosa*. Ruiz et Pavon Syst. Veg. Fl. Peruv. 1. p. 189. Gen. t. 22.

In Andium nemoribus prope Muna vicum Peruviae. Ruiz et Pavon. h.

Frutex

Frutex inermis, erectus, 2-orgyalis. *Rami* angulati, leviter sulcati, calatum scriptorum crassitie adæquantes, cortice fusco-cinereo obducti, apicem versus fulvo-tomentosi. *Folia* sparsa, petiolata, ovato-lanceolata, acuminata, coriacea, rigida, margine callosa, integerrima, suprà glabra, lucida, subtùs villosa, basi attenuata, costâ mediâ subtùs prominenti, nervis plurimis incurvatis, reticulatim connexis, venosissima, sesqui- v. quadri-uncialia, tunc pollicem v. sesquipolllicem lata. *Petioli* semiteretes, tomentosi, suprà canaliculati, semunciales. *Flores* terminales, numerosi (7—14) corymbosi, *Serratulæ coronatæ* magnitudine et facie similes. *Pedunculi* teretes, copiosè fulvo-tomentosi, semi- v. pollicares. *Involucrum* ovatum, multiplici ordine polyphyllum, imbricatum, basi ventricosum; *squamis exterioribus* ovatis, acuminatis, integerrimis, adpressis, cartilagineis, extùs pubescentibus; *intimis* elongatis, linearibus, mucronulatis, recurvato-patulis, radium efformantibus. *Receptaculum* paleis capillaceis fulvis tectum. *Flosculi periphæriæ* plures (8—10) hermaphroditici, bilabiati, purpurei, ferè sesquipolllicares; *labio exteriore* maximo, ligulato, patente, obtusè 4—5-dentato, subtùs tuboque sericeo-villosissimo, nervis tantùm primariis 5 v. 6, rectis, parallelis; *interiore* subsetaceo, canaliculato, indiviso; *disci* unicus, tubulosus, limbo 5-fidus, genitalibus longè inclusis (an sterilibus?) basi callosâ, extùs villosissimus: *lobis* ovato-oblongis, obtusis: *nervis primariis* validis, infra loborum sinus altè bipartitis; *secundariis* 2 interstinctis, parallelis, tantùm a basi ad medium et ultra manifestis, supernè obscurioribus, demùm evanescentibus, hinc reverà non recurrentibus. *Filamenta* in tubum membranaceum connata, intùs villosa, exserta, infernè tubo flosculi adhærentia. *Antheræ* connatæ, costâ dilatatâ, appendice lan-

ceolato-lineari, coriaceâ, rigidâ, apice uncinatâ, obtusâ, ipsâ antherâ quater breviori coronatæ, basi simplices, muticæ, ob valvulas basi in filamentis decurrentes. *Stylus* hermaphroditis filiformis, lœvis. *Stigma* bilabiatum: lobis crassis, obtusis, brevibus, suprà concaviusculis, pruinosis. *Achenia* turbinata, fulvescenti-villosissima. *Pappus* fulvus, dissimilis; flosculo centrali setosus, radiis 21 inæqualibus subulatis, validis, recurvatis, hirsutis, vix plumosis, basi connatis; cæteris duplò longior, eleganter plumosus, mollis, radiis 20 circiter, tenuioribus, imâ basi conferruminatis.

*** *Flosculo disci solitario, tubuloso. Filamentis omnino liberis.*
Penthea.

6. *B. laxa*, spinosa; foliis . . . floribus subsolitariis sessilibus, involucri squamis intimis erectis radiatis.

In Brasiliâ. Sello. n.

Caulis fruticosus, spinosus, diffusè ramosissimus, laxus, cortice fusco obductus. *Rami* teretes, glabri, atrofusci. *Folia* nondùm vidi. *Spinæ* geminæ, aciculares, lœves, æquales, rigidæ, patulæ, basi distinctæ, semipollicares et ultra. *Flores* copiosi, in apice ramulorum subsolitarii, sessiles, in paniculam laxam dispositi. *Involucra* campanulata, sesqui v. bi-pollicaria: *squamis* ovatis, mucronulatis, adpressis, coriaceis, sericeis, demùm lœviusculis; *interioribus* gradatim longioribus, lanceolatis; *intimis* elongatis, linearibus, acuminatis, rectis, radiatis. *Receptaculum* copiosè villosum. *Flosculi* plurimi, hermaphroditi, bilabiati; *labio exteriore* maximo, ligulato, obtusè tridentato, 5-nervio, subtùs sericeo-vilosissimo; *interiore* linear-setaceo, binervio, breviore; *disci* solitarii, masculi, tubulosi, 5-dentati. *Filamenta* libera,

libera, complanata, glabra; *articulo superiore longo, substantiâ crassiore.* Antheræ in tubum coalitæ, appendiculâ ligulatâ obtusâ callosâ rigidâ coronatæ, basi bidentatæ: *dentibus brevissimis, setaceis.* Stigma bilobum: lobis obtusis, minutè papillosis. Achenia undique sericeo-villosissima. Pappus difformis; hermaphroditis plumosus, mollissimus; flosculo disci setosus, radiis subulato-setaceis, recurvatis, rigidis, basi connatis.

The character of *Bacasia* appears to have been constructed entirely from *B. corymbosa*, whose only point of distinction would consist in the reduced number of male florets, these being solitary in each capitulum, while in *Barnadesia* there are several; but this must be admitted to be a character too unimportant to be regarded as sufficient to constitute a generic distinction. Ruiz and Pavon in their *Systema Vegetabilium Floræ Peruvianæ et Chilensis* added a second species to *Bacasia*, namely *B. spinosa*, but without altering the generic character previously given in their *Genera Plantarum*. It is evident they had not examined this plant with due attention, otherwise it would have been impossible for them to have determined in referring to *Bacasia* a plant which accords in so few particulars with their generic description, and which proves to be really a species of *Chuquiraga*. The *Diacantha* of Lagasca is apparently identical with *Barnadesia spinosa*, but by no means with the *Bacasia spinosa* of Ruiz and Pavon, which he has inadvertently regarded as the same plant. The central florets of *Barnadesia* have been hitherto described as sterile, but as the anthers evidently contain grains of perfect pollen, I have considered them as male.

CHUQUIRAGA. Juss.

JOHANNIA. Willd.

BACASIAE SP., Ruiz et Pavon.

Flosculi regulares, 5-partiti, hermaphroditi. Pappus uniformis.

Involucrum turbinato-campanulatum, multiplici ordine polyphyllum, imbricatum : *squamis* adpressis, cartagineis, exteriori gradatim minoribus, costâ validâ apice in mucronem rigidum subulatum excurrente ; *intimis* elongatis, acuminatis, radium constituentibus. *Receptaculum* densè villoso-lanatum. *Flosculi* indefiniti, hermaphroditi, tubulosi, altè 5-partiti, villosi : *fauce* intùs densè barbatâ ! *segmentis* linearibus, strictis, apice penicillatis ! *nervis* marginalibus prominulis. *Stamina* disco epigyno inserta : *filamenta* complanata, libera, basi tubi corollæ adhærentia : *antheræ* in tubum connatæ, appendice linear-i-ligulatâ cartilagineâ coronatæ, basi bisetæ v. bidentatæ. *Stigmata* linear-i-lingulata, conniventia, papilloso-pruinosa. *Achenia* turbinata, undique villosissima. *Pappi radiis* copiosis, valde plumosis, infernè crassioribus, simplici ordine digestis, imâ basi connatis, apice simplici.

Frutices semperfurentes, erecti, rigidi, ramosissimi, inermes v. spinosi. Folia alterna, margine integerrima, callosa, pungentimucronata, coriacea, nitida; aut omnino subulata, spinosa. Capitula terminalia, solitaria, sessilia, erecta, magna, v. plura paniculata. Involucra extùs fulvescenti-vilosissima, nunc glabriuscula : squamis luteo-coloratis. Flosculi aurei.

Obs.—*Folia* sapore amarissimo gaudent.

* *Capitulis solitariis, sessilibus. Antheris basi bisetosis.* Propriæ.

1. *C. insignis*, inermis ; foliis imbricatis, setis antherarum æquilibus.

Chuquiraga insignis. Humb. et Bonpl. Pl. Æqu. 1. p. 153.

Lam. Ill. t. 691. Kunth in H. et B. Nov. Gen. et Sp. Pl. 4. p. 18. Syn. 2. p. 361.

C. microphylla. Humb. et Bonpl. l. c. p. 151. t. 43. Kunth in H. et B. Nov. Gen. et Sp. Pl. 4. p. 19. Syn. 2. p. 361.

C. lancifolia. Humb. et Bonpl. l. c. p. 153. Kunth in H. et B. Nov. Gen. et Sp. Pl. 4. p. 19. Syn. 2. p. 361.

In Antisanâ Quitensium, et alpibus Peruvianis. Jos. Jussieu, Humboldt et Bonpland. h.

Frutex erectus, ramosus, rigidus, 5-pedalis. *Rami* teretes, a casu foliorum cortice scabro cicatricoso obducti. *Ramuli* adpressè copiosèque pilosi, demùm glabriuscui. *Folia* alterna, sessilia, confertissima, undique imbricata, ovata, integrerrima, margine calloso, incrassato, mucrone brevi, recto, subulato, rigido, pungentia, avenia, substantiâ crassa, coriacea, suprà concava, subtùs costâ validâ carinata, utrinque viridia, perlucida, juventute villosiuscula, demùm nuda, et exsiccatione præsertim punctis minutissimis quasi resinosis notata, basi angustiora, 4—5 lineas longa, 2 lata. *Capitula* in ramulorum summitate solitaria, sessilia. *Involucra* turbinato-campanulata, multiplici ordine polyphylla, imbricata : *squamis* adpressis, cartilagineis, rigidis, fulvescenti-villosissimis, nervo percurrente apice exerto prominulo, subinde mucronatis ; *exterioribus* ovatis ; *interioribus* gradatim longioribus ; *intimis* lanceolato-linearibus, elongatis, acuminatis, erectis, radium constituentibus. *Receptaculum* densè villoso-lanatum, villis fulvescentibus. *Flosculi* numerosissimi (45—50), regulares, hermaphroditi, pollicares, profundè 5-partiti :

5-partiti: *tubo* pentagono, 5-nervio, substantiâ crassiore, extûs et intûs densè fulvo-villoso, limbo ter breviore: *segmentis* linearibus, villoso-plumosis, apice penicillatis, strictis, basi latiore planis, nervis marginalibus prominulis, margine supernè involutis: *villis* fulvis. *Stamina* disco epigyno cum corollâ inserta: *filamenta* linearia, angustissima, complanata, ferè membranacea, nervo manifestissimo, basi parùm latiore, imo tubo corollæ adhærentia: *antheræ* in tubum angustum coalitæ, longitudine 8-lineares, appendiculâ linearî-ligulatâ obtusâ antherâ ipsâ dimidio breviori cartilagineâ coronatæ, basi bisetæ: *setis* æqualibus, compressis, validis, sulco exaratis, 2 lineas longis, extremitate filamentosâ, spirali, retroflexâ. *Stylus* glaber, 5-angulus, basi in-crassatâ. *Stigmata* linearî-lingulata, obtusa, facie interiori canaliculata, cum superiore parte styli atomis resinosis copiosissimis ornata, conniventi-applicata. *Achenia* turbinata, undique fulvo-vilosissima, hinc convexa, inde biangulata. *Pappi radiis* pluribus (20—24) valdè plumosis, inæqualibus, infernè crassioribus, simplici ordine digestis, imâ basi con-natis, apice simplici setaceo, brevi: *ramulis* persistentibus.

Obs.—Tabula Lamarckiana, errore pictoris, tubum antherarum pro corollâ exhibit.

I have, without hesitation, united the *Chuquiraga insignis* and *microphylla*, being fully persuaded that the characters relied on, as marks of distinction, are of too transitory a nature to justify the separation of two plants otherwise so much alike. In the Lambertian herbarium are two specimens of *C. insignis* from M. Bonpland himself, with the branches thickly clothed with short hairs, and the young leaves slightly villous, which circumstances are regarded by him as constituting the specific distinction of his *C. microphylla*; but, as the epidermis is de-ciduous,

ciduous, and the older branches consequently devoid of hairs, I have no doubt that these two presumed species, as well as the *C. lancifolia*, will be found to possess the same characters, and that they will prove to be only different states of the same plant, as M. Kunth has already suspected.

2. *C. spinosa*, armata; foliis patulis, setis antherarum inæqualibus.

Bacasia spinosa. *Ruiz et Pavon Syst. Veg. Fl. Per. et Chil.* i. p. 188.

In Peruviæ subalpinis et præeruptis frigidis ad Huarocheri, Tarmæ et Cantæ provincias. *Ruiz et Pavon.* 5. Fl. Maio et Junio. *Vulgò Clavelon de Serranias.*

Frutex bipedalis, erectus, ramosissimus, spinosus, cortice fusco scabro obductus. *Ramuli* copiosè adpresso pilosi. *Folia* alterna, sessilia, patentia, ovato-lanceolata, coriacea, plana, avenia, margine calloso integerrima, basi angustiori, spinâ subulatâ rectâ terminata, subtùs convexiuscula, costâ validâ carinata, juventute utrinque hirsutissima, sed denique omnino denudata, perlucida, natiomis resinosis conspersa, semipollucaria, 2—3 lineas lata. *Spinæ propriæ* (folia mutata) axillares, plerumque geminæ, subulatæ, divaricato-patentes, sœpè foliorum longitudine. *Flores* in apice ramulorum solitarii, sessiles, minores quam in præcedente. *Involucrum* turbinato-campanulatum, multiplici ordine polyphyllum, imbricatum, nunc pedunculo brevissimo undique squamoso suffultum: *squamis* adpressis, lanceolatis, spinuloso-mucronatis, pungentibus, sericeo-villo-sissimis (villis fulvescentibus); *interioribus* gradatim longioribus; *intimis* elongatis, erectis, subscariosis, radiatis. *Receptaculum* densè villoso-lanatum. *Flosculi* pauciores (15—20), regulares, hermaphroditi, minus profundè 5-partiti:

segmentis

segmentis linear-i-ensatis, strictis, margine conniventibus, cartilagineis, apice acutis, intùs canaliculatis, densè sericeo-villosissimis, penicillatis, denique glabratissimis: *tubo* cylindraceo, vix fauce dilatata, extùs et intùs copiosè sericeo-villoso, substantiâ crassiore, limbo ferè duplò breviore: *nervis* 5, in tubo simplicibus, ad laciniarum sinus divisis in ramis 2 strictis marginalibus, summo apice confluentibus; *secundariis* nullis. *Stamina* disco epigyno cum corollâ inserta: *filamenta* libera, complanata, glabra, infernè ferè membranacea, nervo manifestissimo, canaliculata, basi dilatata, corollæ imo tubo adhærentia; *articulo superiore* duplò angustiore, 5-plò breviore: *antheræ* in tubum connatæ, 5 lineas longæ, appendiculâ linear-i-ligulatâ obtusâ membranaceâ, ipsâ antherâ dimidio longiori coronatæ, basi biseptosæ: *setis* callosis, strictis, inæqualibus, interiori latere leviter canaliculatis, extremitate filamentosâ, spirali, nunc retrofractâ v. revolutâ, deciduâ! *Stylus* filiformis, uncialis, v. ferè sesquiuncialis. *Stigma* bilobum: *lobis* lingulatis, obtusis, pruinosis, compressis. *Achenia* turbinata, undique adpressè villosissima. *Pappus* fulvus, deciduus: *radiis* 20 circiter, valdè plumosis, inæqualibus, imâ basi in annulum connatis: *rachibus* setaceis, infernè gradatim crassioribus, apice tenuissimo, simplici.

Such is the description of authentic specimens of *Bacasia spinosa* contained in the herbarium of Ruiz and Pavon, which will be found to correspond in every essential point of structure with the genus *Chuquiraga*. It is evident, as I have before observed, that this plant had been referred to *Bacasia* by the above-mentioned botanists from habit alone, without any regard to the structure of the flower, as the slightest examination would have convinced them of the incorrectness of that arrangement. Cavanilles
seems

seems also to have been deceived with regard to the affinity of this plant, as appears by specimens from him in the Lambertian herbarium, marked “*Barnadesia ex Peruviâ*.”

** *Capitulis paniculatis. Antheris basi bidentatis: appendiculâ terminali, bilobâ. Erinesa.*

3. *C. hispida*, foliis elliptico-oblongis acuminatis subtûs ramulis-que setosis, spinis basi coadunatis, pedunculis armatis.

In Brasiliâ. *Sello.* h.

Frutex diffusus, spinosus. *Caulis* teres, cortice cinereo-fusco, demùm læviusculo. *Ramuli* pilis setaceis persistentibus fuscis copiosè vestiti. *Spinæ* geminæ, in ramulorum foliorumque axillis præcipuè positæ; *caulis* erectæ, rigidæ, subulatæ, durissimæ, basi coadunatæ, sæpè setis ornatae, semunciam et ultra longæ; *ramulorum* brevissimæ, recurvatae. *Folia* alterna, brevissimè petiolata, elliptico-oblonga, acuminata, integerrima, obsoletè triplinervia, reticulato-venosa, coriacea, suprà glabra, subtûs hispidè pilosa, basi parùm attenuata, 3-pollicaria, unciam v. sesquiunciam lata. *Petioli* semicylindrici, hispidi, suprà canaliculati, vix 2 lineas longi. *Flores* terminales, plures, subpaniculati. *Pedunculi* breves, uniflori, undique copiosè fulvo-pilosi, spinis solitariis geminisve reflexis, rectis, subulatis armati. *Involucra* semi-pollicaria, cylindrica: *squamis* ovatis, spinuloso-mucronatis, coriaceis, adpressis, margine ciliatis; *intimis* conniventibus. *Receptaculum* parvum, densè pilosum: *pilosum* fulvis, brevibus. *Flosculi* 8—10, hermaphroditi, æqualiter tubulosi, coriacei: *tubo* intûs villosissimo: *limbo* regulari, 5-partito: *segmentis* angustè linearibus, acutis, canaliculatis, binerviis, erectis, margine conniventibus, pube adpressâ fulvâ sericeis. *Filamenta* gracillima, glabra, infernè corollæ tubo adhærentia. *Antheræ* in tubum coalitæ, basi bidentatae: *dentibus* æqua-

libus, obtusis : *appendicula terminalis* brevis, ligulata, cartilaginea, emarginata ! *Stigma bilamelloso-partitum*, cum stylo apice minutè papillosum, scabriuscum : *lobis planis*, mucronulatis. *Achenia* undique villosissima, fulva. *Pappus* fulvus, mollissimus : *radiis plumosis*, apice mucronulatis, imâ basi crassioribus, nudis et connatis, simplici ordine digestis.

4. *C. latifolia*, foliis ovatis acutis trinerviis, spinis inæqualibus, floribus racemoso-corymbosis, involucri squamis intimis revolutis.

In Brasiliâ. Sello. h.

Frutex ramosus, spinosus. *Rami cylindrici*, leviter sulcati, cortice fusco-cinereo obducti. *Folia alterna*, petiolata, ovata, v. ovato-oblonga, acuta, integerrima, trinervia, reticulatim venosa, submembranacea, basi latâ rotundatâ, raro parùm in petiolum decurrentia ; palmaria, ferè bipollicem lata, utrinque demùm glabrata ; *juniora* tamen cum ramulis novellis villis adpressis fulvescentibus subsericea. *Spinæ axillares*, geminæ, inæquales, subulatæ, rigidæ, divaricatæ, saepiusque deflexæ, basi coadunatæ, trilineares ; altero breviore. *Petioli* brevissimi, semicylindrici, pubescentes, basi parùm dilatatâ ramis articulati. *Flores* in apice ramulorum copiosi, racemoso-corymbosi. *Pedunculi* uniflori, inermes, vix pollicares. *Involucra* semipollicaria, campanulata : *squamis* ovatis, mucronulatis, ciliatis, subcarinatis, coriaceis, adpressè imbricatis ; *intimis* elongatis, radium efformantibus, revolutis. *Receptaculum* magis dilatum, copiosè pilosum. *Flosculi* indefiniti, omnes regulares, hermaphroditi, tubulosi, 5-partiti, coriacei, infernè vix attenuati : *segmentis* linearibus, acutis, aequalibus, canaliculatis, binerviis, apice barbatis : *fauce* intùs villosâ. *Stamina* brevissima, sub fauce inclusa :

filamenta

filamenta capillaria, libera, glabra : *antheræ* appendiculâ linearî, membranaceâ, bifidâ ! coronatæ, basi obtusè bidentatae. *Stigma* bilamelloso-partitum : *lobis* ovalibus, obtusis, revolutis, cum apice styli minutissimè papillosum, scabriusculis. *Achenia* turbinata, undique fulvo-vilosissima. *Pappus* plumosus, fulvus : *radiis* simplici ordine digestis, imâ basi crassiore connatis.

5. *C. paniculata*, inermis ; foliis elliptico-oblongis triplinerviis subtûs pubescentibus, floribus thyrsoideis, involucri squamis intimis revolutis.

In Brasiliâ ad ripas fluminis La Plata. *Sello.* v.

Caulis fruticosus, diffusè ramosissimus, inermis. *Rami* angulati, pubescentes. *Folia* alterna, petiolata, elliptico-oblonga, acuta, triplinervia, integerima, plana, suprà glabra, subtûs copiosè pubescentia, denique denudata, basi paululùm attenuata, 3—5-pollicaria, sesquipollucem lata. *Petioi* pubescentes, suprà planiusculi, semunciales. *Capitula* terminalia, copiosissima, thyrsoideo-paniculata. *Pedunculi* angulati, fulvescenti-tomentosi. *Involucrum* tubulato-campanulatum, longitudine semipollucare : *squamis* coriaceis, tomentosis ; *exterioribus* ovatis, acutis, adpressis ; *intimis* linearibus, mucronulatis, elongatis, revolutis. *Receptaculum* densè villosum. *Flosculi* 12 circiter, tubulosi, hermaproditæ, limbo profundè 5-partiti : *segmentis* linearibus, acutis, apice barbatis, recurvis : *nervis* marginalibus : *tubo* pentagono, substantiâ crassiore, basi attenuato, intûs villosissimo. *Stamina* tubo inclusa, brevia ; *filamenta* angustè linearia, complanata, glabra : *antheræ* basi obtusè bidentatae, appendiculâ membranaceâ, ligulatâ, bilobâ ! coronatæ. *Stigma* exsertum, bilobum : *lobis* crassis, obtusis, pruinosis. *Achenia* turbinata, undique densè adpressèque pilosissima.

pilosissima. *Pappi radiis* 18, eleganter plumosis, simplici ordine digestis, imâ basi connatis, apice truncatis : *racibus* fulvis, infernè crassioribus : *ramulis* persistentibus, argenteis.

6. C. *vepreculata*, foliis ovato-lanceolatis acuminatis trinerviis, spinis falcatis basi coadunatis, floribus thyroideis, antherarum appendiculâ bicuspida.

Ad Caracas. *D. Fanning.* h.

Frutex more *Rubi* capreolatus, sæpè scandens, ramosissimus, spinosus. *Rami* teretes, sulcati, pubescentes. *Folia* alterna, petiolata, ovato-lanceolata, acuminata, trinervia, integerima, utrinque (præsertim in junioribus) villosa, demùm glabrata, suprà lucidula, basi subacuta, pollicaria v. bi-pollicaria. *Petoli* semicylindrici, densè villosi, basi ramis articulati, sesqui v. bilineam longi. *Spinae* interpetiolares, brevissimæ, subulatæ, coadunatæ, divaricatæ, arcuatæ, rigidæ, fulvescentes, sesquilineares. *Flores* terminales, thyroidei. *Thyrsi* compositi, multiflori. *Pedunculi* brevissimi, teretes, validi, tomentosi, uniflori. *Involucra* oblonga, cylindrica, semuncialia : *squamis* ovato-lanceolatis, adpressis, coriaceis, tomentosis, spinâ rectâ brevi terminatis ; *intimis* linearibus, elongatis, radiantibus, nunc rariùs revolutis. *Receptaculum* pilis cinereis densè vestitum. *Flosculi* plures (18—20) uniformes, tubulosi, 5-fidi, hermaphroditi, albi : *tubo* attenuato, extùs et intùs viloso, 5-angulo, substantiâ coriaceo, fauci longitudine subæquali : *laciniis* linearilanceolatis, obtusiusculis, erectis, villosis, nervis primariis marginalibus. *Stamina* basi tubi inserta : *filamenta* capillaria, glabra ; *articulo* superiore brevi : *antheræ* in tubum pentagonum coalitæ, basi acutè bidentatæ, appendiculâ membranaceâ bicuspida coronatæ. *Stylus* capillaris, 5-angulus.

angulus. *Stigma clavatum*, *bilobum*, *pruinosum*. *Achenia turbinata*, copiosè sericeo-villosa. *Pappus cinereus*: *radiis 16 circiter*, simplici ordine digestis, eleganter plumosis.

Specimens of this curious species of *Chuquiraga* formed part of a small but interesting collection of dried plants made in Caracas by Mr. Fanning, and which is now in the possession of Mr. Lambert. Mr. Fanning discovered it in the vicinity of Caracas, extending its feeble branches, like a bramble, for support over the other shrubs and trees in its neighbourhood, and frequently spreading to fifteen or even to thirty feet. Mr. Fanning has also brought to this country a valuable collection of seeds and living plants, among which is the famous Cow-tree, *Palo de Vaca*.

This section, which has entirely the habit of *Barnadesia*, constitutes a very remarkable osculant group connecting *Chuquiraga* with that genus. The species are evidently intimately allied, and although I have not ventured to separate them entirely from *Chuquiraga*, yet I am satisfied that they are sufficiently characteristic to merit being regarded as a distinct genus.

Trib. 9. STIFFTIEÆ. *Receptaculum nudum*. *Flosculi tubulosi*, 5-partiti, regulares, hermaphroditi. *Stamina fauci inserta*! *Antheræ basi bisetæ*. *Stigmata plerumque soluta*, papillosa, recurva. *Frutices foliis simplicibus*.

STIFFTIA. *Mikan*.

AUGUSTA. *Leand*.

PLAZIÆ SP., *Spreng*.

Stamina limbi sinubus inserta. *Pappi radiis multiplici ordine digestis*, cylindricis, undique scabris, apice incrassatis.

Involucrum subglobosum, polyphyllum, imbricatum: *squamis obtusis*,

obtusis, integerrimis, planis, coriaceis, adpressis. *Receptaculum* nudum, scrobiculatum. *Flosculi* infundibuliformes, regulares, hermaphroditi, infernè substantiâ coriacei, limbo altè 5-partiti: *segmentis* linearibus, obtusis, spiraliter revolutis, nervis primariis prominulis marginatis; nunc primùm 2 v. 3 marginibus leviter connexis, tunc flosculum bilabiatum æmulantibus. *Stamina* inter corollæ laciniæ inserta: *filamenta* e sinubus supernè libera, gracilia, glabra: *antheræ* coalitæ, basi longissimè biaristatæ, appendice linearis-subulatâ compressâ callosâ rigidâ coronatæ. *Stylus* filiformis, lœvis. *Stigmata* soluta, linearia, recurva, papilloso-pruinosæ, acuta v. truncata. *Achenia* elongata, hinc convexa, inde angulata. *Pappus* longus, coloratus, persistens: *radiis* multiplici ordine digestis, cylindricis, undique denticulato-scabris, apice incrassato, hinc penicillatis.
Frutices frondosi, semperfurentes, speciosi. *Folia* alterna, simplicia, integerrima, uninervia, reticulato-venosa, glabra. *Flores* terminales solitarii v. paniculati. *Pedunculi* squamis obtusis ornati. *Flosculi* aurei v. rosei.

1. *S. chrysantha*, foliis lanceolatis acuminatis, floribus solitariis, flosculis indefinitis.

Stiftia chrysantha. *Mik. Bras.*

Augusta grandiflora. *Leand. in Act. Mon. 7. t. 14.*

Plazia brasiliensis. *Spreng. Syst. 4. pars 2. p. 301.*

Frutex biorgyalis, erectus, ramosissimus, frondosus, cortice lœvissimo cinereo obducta. *Folia* (*Lecythidis*) alterna, petiolata, lanceolata, obtusè acuminata, integerrima, basi acutâ membranacea, nervo medio subtûs prominente, reticulato-venosissima, utrinque glaberrima, nitida, viridia, 4—6 uncias longa, sesqui v. biunciam lata. *Petioli* brevissimi, teretiusculi, suprà leviter canaliculati, subtûs convexi, unguiculares.

guiculares. *Flos* speciosus, terminalis, solitarius, pedunculatus. *Pedunculus* teres, supernè incrassatus, undique squamis plurimis, ovalibus oblongisve, coriaceis, concavis, glabris munitus, uncialis. *Involucrum* globosum, sextuplici circiter serie imbricatum, ut et *pedunculus*, læve, magnitudine atque structurâ *Centaureæ majori* simillimum; *squamis* obtusissimis, integerrimis, coriaceis, adpressis, lævibus, exteriùs gradatim minoribus; *intimis* elongatis, ligulatis. *Receptaculum* depresso, nudum. *Flosculi* numerosissimi, hermaphroditi, infundibuliformes, longissimi, (bunciales): *tubo* basi coriaceo: *fauce* dilatatâ: *limbo* profundè 5-partito: *segmentis* linearibus, obtusis, spiraliter revolutis, nervis primariis validis marginatis, 10 lineas longis; nunc primùm 2 v. 3 margine inter se connexis, tunc flosculum bilabiatum æmulantibus. *Stamina* inter limbi lacinias inserta: *filamenta* tubo corollæ omnino arctè adhærentia, e sinibus supernè tantum libera, gracilia, glabra: *antheræ* pollicares, in tubum coalitæ, appendice linearì-lanceolatâ, acuminatâ, coriacea, rigidâ terminatæ, basi aristis 2 simplicibus, setaceo-attenuatis, longissimis (semipollicaribus) instructæ. *Stylus* longitudine staminum, filiformis, glaber. *Stigma* bilobum, exsertum: *lobis* semicylindricis, acutis, pruinosis, recurvis. *Achenia* angusta, pentagona, hinc convexiuscula, undique rugulosa, pubescens, semuncialia. *Pappus* longissimus (sesquiuncialis) persistens, croceus: *radiis* triplici v. quadruplici ordine digestis, setaceo-capillaribus, teretibus, rigidiusculis, undique puberulis, scabris, apice penicillato, mucronulato; *intimis* compressis.

Obs.—Hujus stirpis pulcherrimæ exempla quatuor a Langsdorffio et Sellovio communicata vidi.

2. *S. parviflora*, foliis cuneato-lanceolatis, floribus paniculatis, flosculis definitis.

Augusta parviflora. *Leand. l. c.*

Plazia parviflora. *Spreng. Syst. 4. pars 2. p. 301.*

In Brasiliâ ad Campos Novos et ad Rio das Contas. *Martius. v.*

Frutex erectus, frondosus. *Rami* cylindrici, cortice cinereo lævi obducti. *Folia* alterna, brevissimè petiolata, spathulato-oblonga, nunc raro lanceolata, integerrima, coriacea, uninervia, venis obscurioribus, utrinque glabra, viridia, basin versus attenuata, 5-pollicaria, unciam v. sesquiunciam latitudine æquantia. *Petioli* semicylindrici, glabri, suprà plani, 3 lineas longi. *Flores* parvi, copiosissimi, paniculati. *Panicula* terminalis, diffusa. *Pedunculi* teretes, glabri, apicem versus crassiores, squamis nonnullis ovalibus obtusis concavis muniti. *Involucra* globosa : *squamis* ovalibus, obtusissimis, concavis, membranaceis, lævibus, tripli ordine imbricatis, adpressis ; *intimis* oblongis. *Receptaculum* nudum. *Flosculi* definiti (12) hermaphroditi, infundibuliformes, basi coriaceâ, limbo 5-partiti : *segmentis* linearibus, acutis, glabris, revolutis. *Stamina* sinubus limbi inserta : *filamenta* e limbo supernè libera, capillaria, glabra, infernè nervis primariis longitudinaliter adnata ! *antheræ* in tubum coalitæ, exsertæ, basi calcaribus 2 linearibus, acutis, complanatis, ipsâ antherâ 4-plo brevioribus ornatæ, appendice lanceolatâ mucronatâ coriaceâ rigidâ terminatæ. *Stylus* filiformis, glaber. *Stigma* bilobum : *lobis* lingulatis, truncatis, pruinosis, revolutis. *Achenia* angusta, hinc convexa, inde angulata, glabra, 3—4 lineas longa. *Pappus* capillaris, persistens, flavicans : *radiis* triplici circiter serie dispositis, inæqualibus, undique puberulis, apice penicillatis, semipollicem longis.

ANASTRAPHIA.

Stamina fauci corollæ inserta. Pappi radiis singulo ordine contiguis, complanatis, margine denticulatis, apice simplici.

Involucrum polyphyllum, campanulatum, basi ventricosum, multiplici serie imbricatum : squamis ovato-lanceolatis, acuminate, adpressis, cartilagineis ; intimis linear-i-lanceolatis, tantum acutis. Receptaculum nudum. Flosculi numerosissimi, hermaphroditi, tubulosi : tubo æquali, angulato, coriaceo : limbo profundè 5-partito : segmentis linearibus, obtusis, revolutis, glabris. Stamina fauci infra laciniarum sinum inserta : filamenta supernè libera, capillaria, glabra : antheræ in tubum coalitæ, basi aristis 2, simplicibus, lævibus, ipsius antheræ longitudine munitæ, appendice linear-i-subulata apice inflexâ terminatæ. Stylus filiformis, glaber. Stigma exsertum, clavatum, emarginatum, pruinatum. Achenia linearia, ancipiti-compressa, sericeo-villosa. Pappus capillaris, persistens : radiis singulo ordine contiguis, basi solutis, apice simplici setaceo complanatis, margine denticulatis.

Frutex ramosus, rigidus, sempervirens, cortice cinereo. Rami teretes, pube brevissimâ cinereâ obruti, de lapsu foliorum tuberculati. Folia omnino Querci Ilicis, alterna, petiolata, elliptica, margine spinoso-dentata, subreflexa, ac undulata, coriacea, basi truncatâ v. acutâ, suprà nuda, viridia, lucida, subtùs tomento brevissimo albo flocculoso densè vestita, exsiccatione venosissima, costâ venisque prominentibus, 2-pollicaria, vix ultra pollicem lata. Involucrum campanulatum, extùs tomento flocculoso, brevissimo, cinereo vestitum, bipollicare, diametro unciale. Flosculi purpurei, involucro longiores. Antheræ semieexsertæ, albæ. Pappus vix uncialis, sordidè cinereus.

Nomen ab αναστραφεις revolutus, atque ad limbum flosculi revolutum refert.

1. A. *ilicifolia*.

In Americâ Meridionali. Joannes Fraser. n.

From the preceding, *Anastraphia* is readily distinguished by the insertion of its stamens and by the structure of its pappus, the rays of which are disposed in a single series. The specimen in the Lambertian herbarium was received from the late Mr. Fraser, but in what part of South America it was collected is not known.

PENTAPHORUS.

Stamina limbi sinibus inserta. *Pappi radiis* setaceo-complanatis, serrulatis, multiplici ordine collocatis. *Involucrum* 5-florum, cylindricum, connivens.

Involucrum oblongum, cylindraceum, polyphyllum, imbricatum: *squamis* lanceolatis, acuminatis, coriaceis, adpressis, lanuginosis; *interioribus* conniventibus. *Receptaculum* nudum. *Flosculi* 5, tubulosi, hermaphroditi, basin versus sensim angustati, limbo 5-partiti: *segmentis* linearibus, apice crassiore obtusis, revolutis. *Stamina* intra limbi lacinias inserta: *filamenta* tantùm è sinibus supernè libera, capillaria, glabra: *antheræ* in tubum coalitæ, basi bicalcaratæ (calcaribus linearibus, complanatis, acutis), appendice lanceolatâ, mucronatâ (mucrone tenui, elongato), coriaceâ, rigidâ coronatæ. *Stylus* filiformis, glaber. *Stigma* bilobum: *lobis* lingulatis, pruinosis, recurvis. *Achenia* trigona, densè villosa. *Pappus* persistens: *radiis* setaceis, complanatis, tenuissimè serrulatis, mucronulatis, inæqualibus, multiplici ordine collocatis; *intimis* latioribus.

Frutex procumbens? *ramosissimus*, *diffusus*. *Rami* teretes, *cortice* lœvi, fusco vestiti. *Ramuli* floriferi conferti, brevissimi, foliosi, pubescentes, semunciales. *Folia* alterna, sessilia, vix illa *Buxi* magnitudine adæquantia, obovata, mucronulata, integrerrima,

tegerrima, coriacea, basi attenuata, utrinque punctis parùm elevatis, resinosis, et pube brevissimâ cinereâ copiosè instructa, subtùs obsoletè trinervia. Flores in apice ramulorum sæpiùs 5, rariùs 3 v. 7, brevissimè pedicellati. Involucrum semipollicis longitudine. Flosculi purpurei. Pappus cinereus.

Nomen e vocibus græcis πεντε quinque, et φερω porto, compositum.

Genus a præcedente distinctissimum pappi radiis multiplici ordine dispositis, atque involucro connivente, 5-floro, undè nomen.

1. *P. foliolosus.*

In Chili. *Caldcleugh.* n.

ADDITIONS AND CORRECTIONS.

After *TRIXIS corymbosa*, p. 188, insert the three following Species.

T. glabra, foliis petiolatis ovato-oblongis mucronulatis integerimis glabris, paniculâ foliosâ.

In Mexico prope Laguna Verde. *Schiede et Deppe.* n.
Floret Martio.

Caulis fruticosus, ramosissimus, lœvis. Rami diffusi, cylindrici, glabri. Folia alterna, petiolata, ovato-oblonga, mucronulata, integerrima, membranacea, utrinque glaberrima, subtùs reticulata, basi rotundata, sesquiuncialia. Panicula foliosa, multiflora. Bracteolæ subsolitariae, lineares, acutæ, involucro duplò breviores. Involucrum 8-phylum : foliolis linearibus, acutis, pubescentibus, erectis, simplici serie digestis.



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