Materials for a Flora of Formosa


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Introduction.

Since the publication of the Enumeratio Plantarum Formosanarum\(^1\) and Flora Montana Formosae\(^2\), a large number of collections has been sent to me for determination, by the Government of Formosa. The collections are in greater part from the mountainous regions of the island and contain a considerable number of novelties. As the flora of Formosa has a close affinity to the floras of Japan and China, it is very important, in order to work up the materials, to make an exhaustive comparison of the collections with specimens from the two countries.

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