

3. PLEUROTHĀLLĪS *strupifōliā* ; folio longissimo coriaceo obtuso lorato plano, racemis brevibus fasciculatis pendulis, floribus hiantibus pubescentibus, sepalo intermedio oblongo apice carnosio revoluto lateralibus semiconnatis majoribus porrectis intūs maculis pilosis (!) notatis, petalis rhombeo-linearibus acutis, labello oblongo obtuso concavo nudo.

This is the most remarkable species of the genus I have yet seen. Its leaves are like leather thongs, and full eighteen inches long. The flowers are dull purple and white, with patches of short deep purple hairs on the inside of the lower sepals. It was imported from Rio by Messrs. Loddiges.