C. PACHYRRHIZUM (Aeranthus pachyrrhizus, Rchb. f. in Flora, 1865, p. 279) is an acaulescent Cuban species, remarkable for its thick fleshy roots, and short racemes of flowers, with distichous bracts. A spathaceus. Griseb (Cat. Pl. Cub., p. 264) is identical. It is also known from Jamaica and Guiana.