

S. W. *Tibet*, On the road between Camp CLXXXIX, Dongbo, 4598 m., and Camp CXC, Tuksum, 4596 m., the valley of Upper Tsangpo, 1st July 1907 (flowering).

Geogr. area: Alpine Himalaya and Tibet.

Gentiana thianschanica Rupr., in Mém. Acad. Pétersb. XIX (1869) 61; Hemsley, in Journ. Linn. Soc. 35 (1902) 191; Fedtschenko, in Acta Horti Petrop. XXI (1903) 379; *G. decumbens* Hemsley and Pearson, in Peterm. Mitteil., Ergänzungsbd. 28 (1900) 374; (?) Stewart, in Bull. Torrey Bot. Club (1916) 640.

Northern *Tibet*, Sarik-kol, Kwen-lun, 3469 m., 5th Aug. 1896.

Geogr. area: Alpine Himalaya, Tibet, Mongolia.

Gentiana Hedinii Murbeck, in Oesterr. botan. Zeitschr. XLIX (1899) 241, text-figs. 1—3.

Northern *Tibet*, Sarik-kol, Kwen-lun, 3469 m., 5th Aug. 1896.

We have not succeeded in finding the specimens upon which this and the following species have been based.

Gentiana cordisejala Murbeck, in Oesterr. bot. Zeitschr. XLIX (1899) 243, text-figs. 4—5.

Northern *Tibet*, Sarik-kol, Kwen-lun, 3469 m., 5th Aug. 1896.

Pleurogyne brachyanthera C. B. Clarke, in Hook. f., Fl. Brit. India IV (1885) 120; Hemsley, in Journ. Linn. Soc. 35 (1902) 191; Fedtschenko, in Acta Horti. Petrop. XXI (1903) 381; *P. carinthiaca*, Hemsley and Pearson, in Peterm. Mitteil. Ergänzungsbd. 28 (1900) 374; Stewart, in Bull. Torrey Bot. Club (1916) 640.

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HEMSLEY and PEARSON (l. c.) record Hedin's plant as *P. carinthiaca* Griseb., but as HEMSLEY later (l. c.) only mentions *P. brachyanthera* Clarke from Tibet, and as the two species are very near (if different at all?), I have transferred the record to *P. brachyanthera*.

Geogr. area: Tibet, Himalaya, Pamir.

Fam. Plumbaginaceæ

(determ. by C. H. OSTENFELD).

Acantholimon Hedinii Ostf. nov. sp. (Pl. IV, Fig. 2). Sect. *Pulvinaria* Boiss. Densissime cæspitosum, glaucescens; ramis brevibus columnaribus; foliis squarrosis, 4—7 mm. longis, crassiusculis, margine ciliato-scabra, obtuse triangularibus, apice obtusa vel acutiuscula. Spica una in apice rosulæ brevissime stipitata; spiculis 1—2-floris sessilibus, bracteis 4—5, exterioribus acutis, late ovatis, margine lata membranacea, ceterum pallide glauco-virescentibus, interioribus membranaceis, nervo mediano