

7. STENOPTERA LORENZII COGN. pusilla, epiphytica, tota pendula; caule filiformi, glaberrimo, foliis 2—4 sparsis vestito; foliis parvis, radicalibus satis numerosis distincte petiolatis ovato-oblongis acutis et breviter mucronatis basi paulo attenuatis utrinque glaberrimis non ciliatis, caulinis ovatis longiuscule acuminatis basi breviuscule vaginantibus margine subtiliter ciliatis; spica brevissima, capitata, late ovoidea, pauciflora; bracteis anguste ovatis, breviter acuminatis, margine subtiliter ciliatis, floribus paulo longioribus; ovario anguste obovoideo, glaberrimo; sepalis subaequilongis, lineari-subulatis, acutissimis, glabris, non ciliatis; petalis lineari-subulatis, acuminatis, sepalo dorsali vix brevioribus; labello triangulari-lineari, acutissimo, glabro, sepalis lateralibus paulo brevioribus; columna longiuscula, satis gracili, glabra.

CAULIS rectus vel paulo flexuosus, teretiusculus, albescens, 7—9 cm. longus, vix $\frac{1}{2}$ mm. crassus. FOLIA dilute rosea praecipue ad apicem, siccitate tenuiter membranacea subpellucida, tenuissime 3—5-nervia nervis non vel vix ramulosis, subplana; radicalia pendula, $1\frac{1}{2}$ —3 cm. longa, 7—15 mm. lata, petiolo gracili, inferne longe vaginato, 1— $1\frac{1}{2}$ cm. longo; caulina subpatula, 1— $1\frac{1}{2}$ cm. longa, 6—9 mm. lata. SPICA $\frac{1}{2}$ —1 cm. longa, 3—6-flora. BRACTEAE patulae, laxe imbricatae, tenuiter membranaceae siccitate subpellucidae, dilute roseae, trinerviae, leviter concavae, 1— $1\frac{1}{2}$ cm. longae, 5—8 mm. latae. FLORES paulo patuli, albescentes inferne dilute coerulei. OVARIUM laeve, obscure trigonum, 3 mm. longum. SEPALA erecta, uninervia, paulo concava, tenuiter membranacea, 9 mm. longa, 1— $1\frac{1}{4}$ mm. lata, dorsale ad medium virescens. PETALA erecta sepalo dorsali conniventia, tenuiter membranacea subpellucida, uninervia nervo superne purpureo, $8\frac{1}{2}$ mm. longa, $\frac{3}{4}$ mm. lata. LABELLUM erectum, valde concavum, membranaceum, trinervium, 8 mm. longum, inferne 2 mm. latum. COLUMNA erecta, 4—5 mm. longa.

Habitat supra caules „Anthurii“ in sylvis ad Blumenau prov. S. Catharina: Fritz Lorenz, et ad Velha-Kale: Da. Anna Brocker, comm. cl. Fritz Müller. — Floret Octobri.