

454. ***Chrysocycnis Lehmanii*, Rolfe;** affinis *C. Schlimii*, Lind. et Reichb. f.; labello elliptico-oblongo basi late auriculato nec ovato et anguste sagittato differt.

Herba epiphytica. Caulis scandens, validus, 0·5-0·7 cm. latus, vaginis ovatis subimbricatis obtectus; internodii 6·15 cm. longi. Pseudobulbi oblongi, subcompressi, 2·3 cm. longi, 0·5-0·7 cm. lati, monophylli. Folia breviter petiolata, ovato-elliptica vel subcordato-elliptica, obtusa, coriacea, 8-14 cm. longa, 4-8 cm. lata; petiolus circiter 1 cm. longus. Scapi axillares, 4-5 cm. longi, vaginis ovato-lanceolatis acutis obtecti, uniflori. Bracteae spathulatae, ovato-lanceolatae, acuminatae, 2 cm. longae. Flores ampli, ochracei vel pallide rosei. Sepalum posticum lanceolato-oblongum, acutum, incurvum, 2·5 cm. longum; sepala lateralia patentia, ovato-oblonga, acuta, 2·5 cm. longa. Petala falcato-oblonga, obtusa, subreflexa, 2 cm. longa. Labellum hastatum, 1 cm. longum; lobus intermedius elliptico-oblongus, obtusus, subconcavus, leviter carinatus; lobi laterales late auriculati, 3 mm. lati. Columna clavata, incurva, 1·3 cm. longa, alis brevissimis latis.

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Lehmann's drawing shows the flowers ochraceous or with a

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faint shade of pink, and the column light green with a few minute transverse light brown spots.