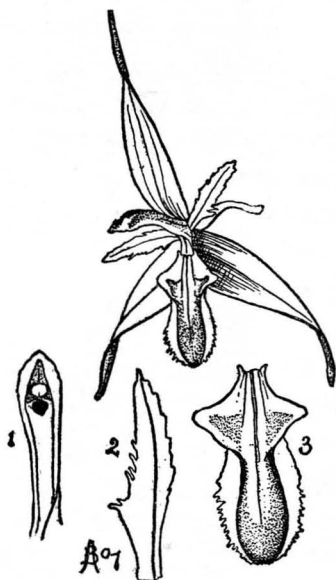


P. (§ *Apodæ cæspitosæ*) **HASTATA** sp. nov. *Caules* secundarii graciles, ± 3 mm. longi. *Folium* circa 1.5 cm. longum, oblongi-lanceolatum, ad apicem tridentatum, carina prominente dorsali



PLEUROTHALLIS HASTATA

1, column; 2, petal; 3, labellum.

media. *Pedunculus* 2.5 cm. longus, gracilis, filiformis, circa 5-florus. *Flores* singulatim florescentes. *Pedicelli* 5 mm. longi, erecti, a rhachide contracta orti. *Bracteæ inflorescentiæ* circa 2 mm. longæ, approximatae, scariosæ, translucetæ, oblongæ, ad apicem rotundatæ, abrupte in caudas aristiformes productæ. *Sepala lateralia* per longitudinem 2 mm. connata, oblongi-lanceolata, 7 mm. longa, 1 mm. lata, in caudas carnosas 2 mm. longas attenuata. *Sepalum dorsale* laterilibus angustius, simile. *Petala* linearia, 2.5 mm. longa, 1-nervia, sparsim serrata, acuta. *Labellum* unguiculatum, subhastatum, obtusum; lobus termina-

lis incrassatus et convexus ad apicem, 2 mm. longum, oblongum, margine dentato vel breviter fimbriato; lobi laterales triangulares, circa 1 mm. longi, subacuti, callo in angulo basali anteriore utroque, dente retrorso in latere utroque unguis. *Columna* gracilis, lamina membranacea circum clinandrium.

The flowers appear to have been whitish with purple spots, the labellum deep purple.

Alt. 350 m., Cubilquitz, Depart. Alta Verapaz, Guatemala, December, 1901, *H. von Tuerckheim* (no. 501).