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Notes "Extracted from the letters of Mr. W. Hamilton, corresponding member of the Society, Secretary of the Horticultural Society in Plymouth ..."
Latin description on p. 314, and distinguishing characters on the subsequent page, together with a history of the discovery of the plant and of its medicinal properties, especially against leprosy. These are said to have been recognized first by the Jesuit priest Velasco de Riobamba of Quito.

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