

COMPOSITÆ.

***Erigeron fruticosus*, DC.**

Erigeron fruticosus, DC., Prodr., v. p. 283; Gay, Fl. Chil., iv. p. 22.

Terranea fernandezia, Colla in Mem. Accad. Sc. Torino, xxxviii. p. 11, t. 23.

Aster erigeroides, Hook. et Arn. in Hook. Comp. Bot. Mag., ii. p. 48, cum β *prolifero*.

JUAN FERNANDEZ.—Woods in the higher mountains—*Bertero*; rocky plain—*Douglas*; *Cuming*, 1334; *Moseley*; *Reed*; *Downton*. MASAFUERA.—*Reed*, collected in 1872.

This species, which is apparently confined to these islands, bears a strong resemblance to the endemic Bermudan *Erigeron darrellianus*.

***Erigeron rupicolus*, Philippi.**

Erigeron rupicolus, Philippi in Bot. Zeit., 1856, p. 644.

MASAFUERA (ex *Philippi*).

We have seen no specimen of this species, which is described as a dwarf, glabrous, suffruticose plant having crowded spatulate leaves on long petioles, and small flower-heads with white rays.

***Micropsis nana*, DC.**

Micropsis nana, DC., Prodr., v. p. 460; Philippi in Bot. Zeit., 1856, p. 629; Gay, Fl. Chil., iv. p. 108.

JUAN FERNANDEZ (ex *Philippi*).

An annual herb, from one to three inches high, otherwise peculiar to Chili, and probably of recent introduction into the island, for it does not exist in any of the collections consulted for this report.

***Gnaphalium cheiranthifolium*, Lam.**

Gnaphalium cheiranthifolium, Lam., Encycl., ii. p. 752; DC., Prodr., vi. p. 223; Baker in Mart. Fl. Bras., fasc. lxxxvii. p. 122 (*varietates plures*).

Gnaphalium paniculatum, Colla in Mem. Accad. Sc. Torino, xxxviii. p. 17, t. 26.

Gnaphalium citrinum, Hook. et Arn. in Bot. Beech. Voy., p. 31; DC., Prodr., vi. p. 223; Gay, Fl. Chil., iv. p. 222.

JUAN FERNANDEZ.—In mountain pastures—*Bertero*; *Scouler*.

Exceedingly common and widely spread in South America.

***Gnaphalium insulare*, Philippi.**

Gnaphalium insulare, Philippi in Bot. Zeit., 1856, p. 645.

MASAFUERA.—Endemic? (ex *Philippi*).

¶ Cuming's 1353 may be this species, but the genus is a difficult one. Many of the species are weeds of cultivation and waste places, and colonise freely in the most unlikely