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FLORA OF MATO GROSSO

No. R. 517

Shyrix ferrugineus Nees & Mart.

5 km S. of Xavantina (52°20'W - 14°44'S).

Tree, 6 m tall. Trunk 35 cm in diameter at breast height. Thick, corky, rugose bark. Petals cream.

Growing on a raised mound covered in cerrado vegetation ('island'), and with characteristic termite mound, in grassy campo.

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