FLORA OF BRAZIL State of Maranhão

No. R. 6695
Chaunochiton kappleri (Sagot ex Engl.)
Ducke
Vernacular name: Cheri-cheri

Transect area, Fazenda Madeira, 7°11'S 47°25'W, approximately 17km N of Carolina.

Tall campo cerrado on very sandy soil, just outside a gallery forest.

Tree, 10m tall, 18cm dbh with rather thin grey bark scaling in a rectangular pattern. Fruit wing dull pink. The appearance of the tree covered by the large winged fruits is very striking.

R 6696 is a flowering specimen of the same species.

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