

Anglo/Brazilian  
Northern Mato Grosso Expedition 1967/69

**FLORA OF MATO GROSSO**

No. R. 1359

Helicteres saccolha Sr. Hil.

Lagoa de Leo, 8 km. SW of the Base Camp of  
the Expedition (Base Camp  $12^{\circ}54'S-51^{\circ}52'W$ ,  
C270 km. N. of Xavantina).

Herb/shrub. Shoots little branched, to  
2m tall. Corollas orange/red.

The shoots are presumably annual &  
growing up from a perennial subterranean organ.

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Growing at the edge of a raised  
cerrado-covered mound in grassy campo.

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