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Anglo/Brazilian
Northern Mato Grosso Expedition 1967/69

FLORA OF MATO GROSSO

No. R. 1853

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Myrcia variabilis [Hart. ex DC.]

8 km E. of the Base Camp of the Expedition.

(Base Camp $12^{\circ} 54' S$. $51^{\circ} 52' W$, c. 270 km. N.
of Xavantina on the Xavantina - São Felix road).

Vernacular name: Araca

Small tree, 4 m tall. Trunk 9 cm in diameter
at breast height. Bark thick, silvery, flaking in
± brick-shaped scales. Blaze: wood straw-yellow
with a pinkish heart; cortex pink.

Date: 20.6.1968 Growing in rather open cerrado with
scattered trees to 7 m tall.

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