

FLORA OF MATO GROSSO

No. R. 1856

Pseudobombax tomentosum (Mart. & Zucc.) A. Robyns.

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 = Mamocanna (= false paw-paw).

Tree, 9 m tall. Trunk 65 cm in diameter at breast height. Grey bark with chlorophyllous tissue at the bottom of the furrows.

In dense cerrado (transitional between valley

Date: 20.6.1968 forest and cerrado) on stony soil, with pieces of laterite. R1101 is a vegetative specimen of the same tree.

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