

FLORA OF MATO GROSSO

No. R. 1871 *Peritassa laevigata* (Hellin)  
~~*Antonia ovata* Pohl~~ A.C. Smith

8 km. E. of the Base Camp of the Expedition.  
(Base Camp 12° 54' S. 51° 52' W, c. 270 km. N.  
of Xavantina on the Xavantina - São Felix road).

Vernacular name: Feijão de Arara

Shrub, 1.5 m tall. Flowers lustrous  
white, strongly & sweetly scented.

In cerrado close to the transition zone  
into deciduous forest on rich soil.

Date: 21.6.1968 This species attains a height of  
10 m in suitable habitats.

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