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These reports are intended as a place of speedy publication of stray chromosome counts which otherwise might remain unpublished. Though a concise reference to a single voucher specimen and the place where it is kept is significant, the importance of critical taxonomical identification of the material and an exact counting of the chromosome number cannot be overemphasized. Contributors can order reprints at cost price when sending their manuscripts. Contributions are to be sent to Áskell Löve, 5780 Chandler Court, San José, California 95123, U.S.A.

Reports by K. V. DEVAR, Department of Botany, University of Agricultural Sciences, Bangalore 560 065, India. Vouchers in the Department Herbarium:

EUPHORBIACEAE

Macaranga indica Wight. $2n = 22$. India: Karnataka, Chikkamagalur District, Agumbe. Devar 31.

MALPIGHIACEAE

Hiptage benghalensis (L.) Kurz. $2n = 58$. India: Karnataka, Chikkamagalur District, Agumbe. Devar 32.

LOBELIACEAE

Lobelia nicotianifolia Roth. $n = 14$. India: Karnataka: Bangalore District, Savanadurga. Devar 20.

Reports by ROYCE L. OLIVER and LAURENCE E. SKOG, Department of Botany, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D.C. 20560, U.S.A. Vouchers in US:

GESNERIACEAE

Codonanthe digna Wiehl. $n = 8$. Origin unknown, cultivated at the Smithsonian Institution. Skog & Hodapp 5340.

Codonanthe luteola Wiehl. $n = 16$. Panama: Prov. Panama, cultivated at the Smithsonian Institution. Skog & Hodapp 5326.

Columnnea asteroloma (Wiehl.) Skog, comb. nov. (based on *Dahlbergaria asteroloma* Wiehl., 1977, Selbyana 2(1): 70). $n = 9$. Ecuador: Prov. Los Ríos, cultivated at the Smithsonian Institution. Skog & Hodapp 5379.

Columnnea billbergiana Beurl. $n = 9$. Panama: Prov. Coclé, cultivated at the Smithsonian Institution. Skog & Bell 5310.

Nematanthus perianthomegus (Vell.) H. E. Moore. $n = 8$. Brazil, cultivated at the Smithsonian Institution. Skog & Bell 5314.

Nematanthus wettsteinii (Fritsch) H. E. Moore. $n = 8$. Brazil, cultivated at the Smithsonian Institution. Skog & Hodapp 5354.

Rhytidophyllum berterioanum Mart. $n = 14$. Dominican Republic: cultivated at the Smithsonian Institution. Skog & Linett 5477.

Reports by P. N. MEHRA and S. K. KASHYAP, Botany Department, Panjab University, Chandigarh-160014, India. Vouchers in PAN: