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River Miyara, Okinawa Pref., Japan.

[24°22'34.1" N, 124°12'11.6" E]

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Coll. A. Tuji (duplicate of TNS-AL- 55548m in TNS).

Nitzschia clausii Hantzsch, Hedwigia 2: 40. *pl.* 4, *f.* 7. 1860.

(Figs 1-8)

Syntype: Hantzsch in Rabenhorst, Alg. Sachs. Dec. 95/96: no. 944. 1860. (exsiccata)

Collectors: [?] Claus and Carl August Hantzsch.

Type locality: Germany (Dresden) Tharandt, "Im September 1859 in einem Bache bei Tharandt (Sachsen)."

Sayre (1969: Mem. New York Bot. Gar. 19: 1-174) noted the publication date of exsiccata, Alg. Sachs. Dec. 95/96, as March 1860. I have not checked the publication date of Hedwigia volume 2, and have not judged which has priority for this taxon. However, there is the information of figure number of Hantzsch (1860) in the exsiccata label no. 944, and both should use the same material.

(Information of Alg. Sachs. Dec. label was referred using the home page of

Farlow Diatom Collection: <http://www.huh.harvard.edu/diatom/pubcollfset.htm>)

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