

NEW NAME FOR *PARODIELLA*

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It has been called to our attention almost simultaneously by A. L. Cabrera, of La Plata, Argentina, and B. Rosengurtt, of Montevideo, Uruguay, that the name *Parodiella* (Bol. Soc. Argentina Bot.), which we proposed for a new genus Gramineae from the Andes, is a later homonym, having been used previously for a fungus. Our name *Parodiella* was intended to honor the memory of Lorenzo R. Parodi, who had no peer in South American agrostology. Since *Parodiella* J. & C. Reeder is illegitimate, our plant is left without a name. Therefore we offer the following substitute:

LORENZOCHLOA J. & C. REEDER, nom. nov.

Parodiella J. & C. Reeder, Bol. Soc. Argentina Bot. 12: 279. 1968, non *Parodiella* Spegazzini, Anal. Soc. Cient. Argentina 9: 178. 1880.

The correct name for the only species now becomes:

LORENZOCHLOA ERECTIFOLIA (Swallen) J. & C. Reeder, comb. nov.

Muhlenbergia erectifolia Swallen, Jour. Washington Acad. Sci. 21: 15. 1931.

Parodiella erectifolia (Swallen) J. & C. Reeder, Bol. Soc. Argentina Bot. 12: 279. 1968.

Lorenzochloa is from the given name of Dr. Parodi, *Lorenzo*, with the addition of the Greek word for grass, *chloa*.

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