

ERRATUM

FOUR NEW 3 $\alpha$ -HYDROXY SPIROST-5-ENE DERIVATIVES FROM *GYNURA JAPONICA* MAKINO:  
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The plant used in our research has been found to be identified erroneously, therefore, *Gynura Japonica* Makino (p.3657, title), *Gynura*.....Medicine<sup>1)</sup> (line 6-7), and *G. japonica* (line 16) should be replaced by a Chinese *Rohdea* species. Details will be published in our full paper.