## MASDEVALLIA FLAVEOLA, n. sp.\* At first sight this might be regarded as Masdevallia attenuata, but it is not. The leaves are cuneate,

obovate, or spatulate, and the slender peduncles, surpassing the leaves, have usually two, or even three

flowers. They are described as light yellow, yet I have a distinct impression that there are on each side two orange zones on the outer perigone. It has the side sepals very rounded at the top, and covered for some distance with the odd sepal. The tails, very narrow at the base, are dilated above, and exceed the eupular part of the perigone. It is no great thing, but one of those little curios which the collector of the Masdevallias will grow with pleasure. It was discovered by Herr Hübsch, in Costa Rica, for Mr. F. Sander, who has just imported a stock of it. H. G.

ODONTOGLOSSUM PESCATOREI LOWIANUM, n. var.

Rchb. f.

This grand thing was discovered by one of Mr. Low's travellers. I had a dried specimen from my excellent oldest English correspondent. The plant arrived, and had the good luck to come into Sir Trevor Lawrence's hands, who kindly forwarded me now a fresh raceme. It is very long in the sepals and petals, which have numerous mauve spots and dots on a ground, the greater part of which is a fine light mauve, just as in the best Odontoglossum crispum fastuosum. H. G. Rehb. f.