A NOTE CONCERNING TWO SOUTH AMERICAN ORCHIDS

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Erythrodes platensis (Hauman) L. O. Williams comb. nov.

Physurus platensis Hauman in Anal. Mus. Nac. Hist. Nat. Buenos Aires 29 (1917) 370, fig. 5.

This species has appeared in a collection of orchids sent to me recently from Argentina by Dr. Arturo Burkart.

The specimen reported from Paraguay is essentially the same as the ones from Argentina.

PARAGUAY: Near Sapucay. August 1913. Hassler 11899.

ARGENTINA: Province of Buenos Aires, Delta del Paraná, Arroyo Pajarito. September 18, 1932. Burkart 4596; Ribera del Río de la Plata, Isla Santiago. November 31, 1930. Cabrera 1505.

Malaxis Reichenbachiana (Schltr.) L. O. Williams comb. nov.

Microstylis Reichenbachiana Schlechter in Fedde Repert. Beihefte 10 (1922) 40.

The specimen referred to below, was sent for determination by Professor Martín Cárdenas of La Paz, Bolivia.

BOLIVIA: Sailapata, Department of Cochabamba. On wet soil in forest. At 2900 meters altitude. November 1935. Cárdenas 3285.

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