



Figs 1-2. *Macroglossum vandenberghi* n. sp. 1, female, paratype; 2, male, holotype. Photo L. van der Laan.

Material examined: — Holotype ♂, Tenimber, 1920, Coll. P. J. v. d. Bergh; paratype ♀, Tenimber, Coll. P. J. v. d. Bergh; both specimens are preserved in the Instituut voor Taxonomische Zoölogie (Zoölogisch Museum), Amsterdam.

Discussion. — Although known from the types only, *M. vandenberghi* is strikingly different from all other *Macroglossum* species by its beautiful white tail. In order not to destroy this important distinguishing character, I decided not to dissect the genitalia of the holotype. Consequently it is impossible to say anything about relationships with other *Macroglossum* species, the more as the species stands rather isolated within the genus by the combination of characters mentioned in the diagnosis. Nevertheless *M. vandenberghi* shows some resemblance to *M. joannisi* Rothschild & Jordan, 1903 from Queensland. This resemblance is mainly caused by the shape, colour and maculation of the forewings, which are almost identical in both species. However *M. joannisi* shows vestiges of a yellow band on the hindwing and is characterized by four very large yellow lateral patches on the abdomen.

When in future more material of the new species becomes available, examination of genitalic structures might elucidate the taxonomic relationships between *M. vandenberghi* and other species of the genus.

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ESPERIA SULPHURELLA (FABRICIUS) TE KORTGENE (LEPIDOPTERA: OECOPHORIDAE). Op 25 mei 1982 ving ik te Kortgene (Noord-Beveland, Zeeland) een exemplaar van *sulphurella*. Het vlindertje trof ik overdag aan op gerooid en gezaagd appelhout. Het blijkt de tweede in ons land bekende vindplaats te betreffen.

De heer K. J. Huisman te Melissant deelde mij mede dat hij de soort sinds enige jaren in zijn woonplaats vangt en dat de vinder waarschijnlijk aangevoerd is met voor de open haard bestemd hout van vruchtbomen afkomstig uit Zuid-Beveland!

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