

PLATE XVI.

- Figure A.—Portion of a vigorous specimen of *Hedyotis adscensionis*, DC., natural size.
- „ B.—A branch of a stunted plant of the same.
- „ 1.—A leaf with its stipules.
- „ 2.—A leaf seen from beneath.
- „ 3.—A flower from the stunted plant (Fig. B.).
- „ 4.—A flower from the more vigorous plant (Fig. A.).
- „ 5.—Corolla of the short-tubed form laid open, showing the insertion of the
stamens.
- „ 6.—A style with stigma from the same.
- „ 7.—Vertical section through a half-ripe fruit.
- „ 8.—A ripe fruit in which the calyx has become quite glabrous.
- „ 9.—One of the carpels after it has separated from the exocarp, seen from the
inner face, and showing the apical and loculicidal dehiscence.
- „ 10.—Side view of the same.
- „ 11.—Seeds, natural size.
- „ 12.—Seeds: all the figures enlarged more or less, except where otherwise
stated.

The drawings were made from specimens in Kew Herbarium.