Date: 25 May 2014. Black Sugarloaf, Birralee (Thismia gully).
Habitat: Closed wet Eucalypt forest.
Substrate: Stipe of *Dicksonia antarctica*.
Description: scattered stalked light orange brown goblet-shaped sporangia, 1–1.2 mm high x 0.5 mm wide. Stalk light orange brown, furrowed, about half the height of the sporangia. Hypothallus discoid, translucent orange yellow. Peridium thick, of two layers: the outer layer cartilaginous, ochraceous brown; dehiscence by preformed operculum sharply separated from the rest of the peridium. Capillitium large white lime nodes. Spores black in mass, lighter brown by transmitted light, minutely warted, 8–10 µm.
Notes: Immature sporangia found twice on stipe of bracken fern *Pteridium esculentum*. Often appears on the fronds of *Dicksonia antarctica* or the litter accumulated amongst the fronds. Common in 2016 (see photo below right).