

Paratypes: 5 ♂, 5 ♀, taken with the types. IOWA—♂, July 11, 25 ♂♀, July 12, 1927, on *Carpinus caroliniana*; 14 ♂♀, June 21, 1928, 2 ♀, June 14, 5 ♂, 4 ♀, June 18, 10 ♂♀, July 16, 1929, Ames (H. H. Knight); 2 ♂, June 11, 1929, Ames (H. B. Mills). ILLINOIS—♀♂, June 14, 1933, Dolson (Frison & Ross).

***Lygidea salicis* n. sp.**

Allied to *annexus* (Uhler) but differs in the longer second antennal segment and the shorter, more recumbent pubescence on antennae; segment II equal to (♀) or exceeding (♂) width of pronotum at base. Differs from *obscura* Reut. in the shorter rostrum.

Male.—Length 5.6 mm., width 2.2 mm. Head: width 1.21 mm., vertex .60 mm. Rostrum, length 1.77 mm., just attaining posterior margins of middle coxae, pale, apex black. Antennae: segment I, length .65 mm., black, slender apex pale; II, 1.99 mm., fusco-brownish, basal one-fourth black, pubescence rather short and recumbent; III, 1 mm., fuscous; IV, .91 mm., blackish. Pronotum: length 1.02 mm., width at base 1.8 mm.; disk punctate, transversely rugulose; black, collar except behind eyes, median line of disk, two blotches behind outer half of calli, disk of calli, narrow basal margin, dorsal margin and ventral one-third of propleura, pale. Scutellum pale, a wedge-shaped mark each side of median line, brownish black, mesoscutum black.

Hemelytra brownish black, embolium except apically, cuneus except reddish spot on apex, pale translucent. Membrane uniformly dark fuscous, paler bordering apex of cuneus, veins pale. Clavus and corium clothed with pale to silvery, somewhat sericeous pubescence. Ventral surface white to yellowish, a broad lateral, longitudinal stripe on thoracic pleura and sides of venter, reddish brown to black. Legs pale, hind femora with two, subapical reddish brown annuli, tibial spines yellowish, apical segment of tarsi fuscous.

Female.—Length 5.9 mm., width 2.3 mm. Head: width 1.25 mm., vertex .65 mm. Antennae: segment I, length .60 mm., black; II, 1.9 mm., pale, base and apex fuscous to black, more slender than in the male; III, 1.04 mm., fuscous; IV, .95 mm., blackish. Pronotum: length 1.08 mm., width at base 1.88 mm. Very similar to the male in color and pubescence, although more broadly pale on disk of pronotum.

Holotype: ♂, July 12, 1919, Hennepin Co., Minnesota (H. H.