

98. *Oncerometopus nigriclavus* Reuter

Mejia Island, April 10; a long series, mostly females and young, were taken from *Argyranthus placeta* growing in a dry wash.

99. *Neurocolpus mexicanus* Distant

Guaymas, April 10; on acacia trees in great numbers, some immature.

100. *Phytocoris inops* Uhler

Guaymas, April 11; Loreto, May 19; Mejia Island, April 30; Angeles Bay, May 5; Escondido Bay, May 24. The Angeles Bay specimen is a female and may represent a distinct species.

101. *Phytocoris lenis* Van Duzee, new species

Closely allied to *inops*, a little smaller with the margin of the male pygofer unarmed. Length 4.5 mm.

Male: Vertex flat, depressed between the very prominent eyes, its width two-thirds that of the eye. Head short, produced before the eyes for a space about equal to the width of the eye at the insertion of the antennæ. Antennæ long; segment I a little longer than from front of head to apex of scutellum. Hind femora tapering from middle; hind tibiæ as long as corium and cuneus together. Sinistral clasper small, obliquely angled at base; tip not reaching the subacute apex of the ventral plate; dextral clasper about as long as the sinistral, passing apex of the segment; pygofer unarmed, wanting the dorsal tooth found in *inops*.

Colors as in *inops*, varied with fuscous and testaceous brown; inner margin of clavus, an angular spot covering apex of corium and external base of cuneus, whitish; membrane dotted as in *inops*, the vein and two marginal spots blackish; antennæ black, segment I dotted, II with base and median annulus (as wide as anterior femur) white, III and IV brown, base of III white; legs dotted as in *inops*, the hind femora blackish, dotted but hardly showing a subapical annulus, above with a broad median pale ray from base to beyond middle; chest blackish; coxæ, edges of acetabulæ and propleura whitish; sides of pronotum with a pale line behind the eyes; tibiæ black with three white bands, four on hind pair.

Female: Differs from male principally in having the vertex broader and fuller and the eyes smaller as is usual in allied species.

Described from one pair taken on mesquite at Agua Verde, May 26; one male from San José Island, May 28; one female