



Fig. 1. *Texocoris nigrellus*, dorsal habitus.

*Texocoris nigrellus* (Knight)

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*Distribution.* In addition to the states Henry and Wheeler (1988) listed in the recent catalog of North American Heteroptera—Georgia, Illinois, Iowa, Missouri, Texas, and Wisconsin—nine new state records are available. The Michigan and Clemson, South Carolina, records are based on specimens in the collection of the National Museum of Natural History, Washington, DC (USNM); remaining records, except one for Auburn, Alabama from G. L. Miller and Raleigh, North Carolina, from R. L. Blinn, are based on my recent collecting in the eastern United States. Voucher specimens have been deposited in the Cornell University, Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture, and USNM collections. Hosts are not listed below but are mentioned in the discussion of host plants that follows.

The following records extend the known distribution of *T. nigrellus*. ALABAMA: *Lee Co.*, Auburn University campus and Davis Arboretum, Auburn, 8–9, 11 May 1986, A. G. Wheeler, Jr.; Auburn Univ., 19 May 1988, G. L. Miller. ARKANSAS: *Washington Co.*, Univ. of Arkansas, Fayetteville, 15 June 1987, AGW and T. J. Henry. KENTUCKY: *Warren Co.*, Western Kentucky Univ., Bowling Green, 5 June 1985, AGW and T. J. Henry. MICHIGAN: *Midland Co.*, 15 July 1947, R. R. Dreisbach. NORTH CAROLINA: *Guilford Co.*, Univ. of North Carolina—Greensboro and Greensboro College, Greensboro, 16 May 1988; *Rowan Co.*, Catawba Coll., Salisbury, 16 May 1988, AGW; *Wake Co.*, Raleigh, 6–8, 15 June 1987 and 28–30