

- First antennal segment with inner black line complete to base 2
2. Second antennal segment with a broad fuscous to black area occupying basal half to three-fourths of segment *fuscicornis* Knight
- Second antennal segment pale, a black annulus at base; at most the black color not occupying more than basal one-fourth of segment 3
3. Second antennal segment with a rather broad fuscous area at base, length greater than diameter of first segment (Fig. 4) *querci* Knight
- Second antennal segment with a narrow black annulus at base, length subequal to diameter of first segment (Fig. 2) 4
4. Corium and clavus conspicuously marked with green blotches 5
- Corium and clavus with a few or no green blotches 7
5. Larger species, 4.49 – 4.60 mm; dorsal aspect of hind femora mostly without large green blotches, usually replaced with a brown or fuscous line at apex; rostrum reaching middle of metacoxae; Palearctic *marqueti* Puton
- Smaller species, 4.00–4.40 mm; dorsal aspect of hind femora with 3 or 4 large green blotches; rostrum reaching middle of mesocoxae; Nearctic 6
6. Left arm of right clasper long, slender, curved upward; tergal process slender with lateral branch spine-like (Fig. 12) *wheeleri* n. sp.
- Left arm of right clasper short and stout; tergal process short, stout, without spine-like lateral branch *irrorata* (Say)
7. Membrane without fuscous mark bordering large areole; veins pale; tergal process slender and curved (Fig. 5) *bifurcata* Knight
- Membrane with a sharply defined fuscous mark bordering large areole; veins green; tergal process stout and straight 8
8. Larger species, 4.40–4.60 mm; membrane opaque white; hind femora with large green blotches on dorsal aspect; tergal process pointed at apex (Fig. 6) *dobsoni* n. sp.
- Smaller species, 3.9 mm; membrane clear; hind femora without large green blotches on dorsal aspect; tergal process truncate at apex *pollicaris* Knight

Reuteria bifurcata Knight

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Malacocoris irroratus, Wirtner 1904:201³

Male: length 4.80 mm, width 1.60 mm. **Dorsum:** pale to white; clothed with simple white or silvery pubescence. **Head:** width 0.75 mm, vertex 0.36 mm. **Rostrum:** length

³ I have examined Wirtner's specimens of *Reuteria*, including several taken July 31, at Greensburg, as listed in his 1904 paper, and all are *bifurcata*.