



Fig. 43. Elytron of *Glaphyrocoris torridus* sp. n. a, *G. varians* sp. n. b, *G. opertus* sp. n. c, *Trichophthalmocapsus pumilus* (Odh.) d, *Plagiorhanna albofasciatus* (Motsch.) e, *P. sororculus* sp. n. f, *P. pilosus* (Pop.) g and i, *P. jocosus* sp. n. h and j and *P. jocosus* sp. n. k.

Other material studied: Assinie, 1 ♀, type (without head and pronotum, somewhat robustier than the other specimens) and Guinea, Addah, 1 ♂ and 1 ♀, Mus. Helsinki. Records from Ethiopia and Nyasa (CARVALHO 1958: 180) dubious.

✓ *T. monticola* sp. n.

Length 4.5–5.0 mm. Like the preceding species, but 1) paler and more gracile, 2) 2nd and 3rd antennal joints pale, the former with a sanguineous longitudinal stripe basally, 3) tibiae pale, 4) eyes slightly smaller, ocular index 2.2 (♀), 5) antennae much longer, proportions between joints 27 : 70 : 40 : ?, 1st joint 1.42 × as long as diatone, 2nd 2.33 × as long as basal width of pronotum and 5) hairs of legs long as in *T. pilipes*, although less numerous.

Equatoria: Lotti forest, 1 ♀, type and 1 ♀ paratype, 14–17. III. 1963. From mesic mountain meadows above the forest.

Resembling *T. australis* Schuh (South Africa) in the long 1st antennal joint, but differing in the pale coloured pronotum and scutellum and the longitudinal sanguineous stripe of the 2nd antennal segment.

✓ *T. palustris* sp. n.

Length 4.5–5.5 mm. Rather shiny. Yellow-brown. 1st antennal joint reddish brown, apex narrowly pale, 2nd basally narrowly redish, 4th embrowned in basal half. Head and pronotum with a golden tinge. Cuneus purplish, membrane brownish smoky. Legs yellowish or reddish brown, middle and hind coxae whitish; femora, especially hind femora, reddish brown with paler apex, also hind tibiae reddish brown.

Elongate, 3.3 × as long as broad, parallel-sided. Eyes rather small, ocular index 1.0 (♂) or 2.0 (♀). Antennae long, proportions between joints 20 : 50 : 33 : 21, 1st joint with erect hairs, 0.8 (♂) or 1.0 (♀) × as long as diatone, 2nd 1.34 (♂) or 1.8 (♀) × as long as basal width of pronotum, about 2.6 × as long as 1st. Rostrum extending to base of abdomen. Pronotum distinctly broadening caudad. Setae of legs normal. Male genitalia: genital segment unarmed; right stylus (Fig. 44 h) with a strongly recurved hypophysis; left stylus large, as in Fig. 44 i–j; theca as in *ocellaris*; vesica (Fig. 44 k) long.

84, 2 paratypes; 85–84, 1 paratype; Bahr el Ghazal: Wau, 1 ♂, type, 19. II. 1963. In swampy meadows.

Other material studied: E. Africa, Langenburg, 1 ♂ paratype (recorded as *sordidipennis* by POPPIUS 1914: 30–31), Fülleborn, Mus. Helsinki.

✓ *T. ocellaris* sp. n.

Length 4.5–5.25 mm. Fairly shiny. Dark brown. 1st antennal joint blackish, pale at apex, 2nd and 3rd joints yellow-brown, 4th embrowned. Elytra dirty dark yellowish brown, sometimes with a slight reddish tinge, cuneus blackish, membrane dark. Middle and hind coxae whitish. Femora dark brown, pale at apex. Legs otherwise yellowish brown, hind tibiae darker.

Narrow, body 3.75 × as long as broad. Eyes large, ocular index 0.80–0.88 (♂). Antennae long, proportions between joints 21 : 52 : 38 : 24, 1st joint with erect bristles, 0.87 × as long as diatone, 2nd 1.73 × as long as basal width of pronotum, 2.5 × as long as 1st. Rostrum extending to base of abdomen. Pronotum narrower than in the other species. Setae of legs normal. Male genitalia: genital segment (Fig. 44 m) with a sharp apex; right stylus (Fig. 44 p) with a strong, slaw-like hypophysis; left stylus large (Fig. 44 n–o); theca as in Fig. 44 q; vesica as in *palustris*.

Equatoria: Yei–Maridi, 1 ♂, type and 1 ♂ paratype, 13. IV. 1963. In a swampy meadow.

*T. rubella* Odh. (Uganda) is very similar to *T. ocellaris*, but differs especially in the shape of the theca and the right stylus (ODHIAMBO 1959 d: 679).

✓ *T. pilipes* sp. n.

Fig. 51. Length 3.5 mm. Shiny. Head brown, strongly shiny. 1st antennal joint black, apically pale, 2nd and 3rd joints whitish ochraceous, 4th dark brown, apex pale. Pronotum black. Scutellum dark brown. Elytra greyish ochraceous, cuneus purplish, membrane greyish. Under surface dark brown. Middle and hind coxae whitish. Femora black, with apex narrowly pale. Legs otherwise pale ochraceous, fore and middle tibiae with a brownish median ring, hind tibiae medially broadly blackish.

Small and relatively broad, body 3.2 × as long as broad. Hair covering as in the other species of the genus. Head not