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Fig. 53. Plagiorrhamma lucidulus sp. n.: a - b left stylus; c theca; d apex of vesica. – P. jocosus sp. n.: e right stylus; f - g theca. – P. similis (Pop.) (type): h - j same. – Shendina globiceps gen. et sp. n.: k head from side; l same, frontal view; m claw; n right and o - p left stylus; q vesica; r theca. – Zinjolopus elegans gen. et sp. n.: s claw; t pygophore from above u right, v - x left stylus; y theca.

times also scutellum and posterior part of pronotum slightly (never sharply) embrowned.

Resembling H. costai:  $\delta$  macropterous and  $\pm$  parallel-sided,  $\wp$  brachypterous, pear-shaped with elytra leaving the utmost tip of abdomen uncovered. Hair covering remarkably long, yellowish and erect.  $\delta$  Head 0.56 × as broad as pronotum. Vertex with a median sulcus, ocular index 1.s. Antennae long, proportions between joints 12:38:41:20, 1st joint remarkably long, 0.8 × as long as diatone, with some erect hairs, 2nd joint 1.52 × as long as basal width of pronotum. Pronotum strongly widening caudad, disk uneven, microsculptured.  $\wp$  Head 0.75 × as broad as pronotum, ocular index 2. s.Proportions between antennal joints 10:31:35:21, 1st joint 0.73 × as long as diatone, 2nd 1.7 × as long as basal width of pronotum. Pronotum only slightly broadening caudad. Male genitalia as in Fig. 52 g - k.

26, 2 paratypes; Equatoria: Lotti forest, 1 3, type and 6 paratypes, 14 - 17. III. 1963. In mesic mountain meadows.

P. ochraceus Lv. - 5, 1 ex. 20. X. 1962, Panelius; 17, 1 ex. At lamp. Eremian. Previously known from Arabia.

## / P. quadripunctatus sp. n.

Length 3 mm. Greyish ochraceous. Upper surface (head, pronotum, scutellum and elytra) with sparse round dark brown dots. Head with dark brown lateral arcs, sides with reddish tinge. Collar with several dark dots; calli with only 1 distinct dot with reddish surroundings; disk in addition to the general dotting also with fine brownish irroration. Elytra (Fig. 521) with a large round spot near apex of claval suture in corium and a similar spot in basal lateral angle of cuneus dark purplish brown. Membrane brownish smoky. Under surface dark purplish. Legs and antennae absent in the specimen studied.

Gracile. Hair covering pale, rather smooth. Ocular index 2.0. Body otherwise much as in *P. costai*.

Equatoria: Juba, 1 5, type, 27. II – 2. III. 1963. Ivory Coast, Lamto, 4 paratypes, D. Gillon and A. Pollet (my collection). At lamp.

## P. alboasciatus (Motsch.) (= reuteri (Pop.))

Description in POPPIUS 1914:51 – 52. Elytra as in Fig. 43 e. Male genitalia as in Fig. 52 m - o.

23, several exx.; 77, 2 exx. At lamp.

Other material studied: E. Africa, Amani, 1 3, type, Vosseler, Mus. Helsinki. Palaeotropical.

ODHIAMBO (1959d:664 – 668) described P. tenuis (Odh.) from Uganda. His records of P. reuteri are incorrect. He has certainly misinterpreted P. reuteri, since all the mentioned characters of P. tenuis (the reddish brown colouring the shape of the pronotum etc.) agree with P. reuteri. In the illustrations of the male genitalia, however, there are certain differences between P. tenuis and P. reuteri (absence of subapical lobe of vesica, shape of the sensory lobe and of the hypophysis of the left stylus). If ODHIAMBO's figures are precise, P. tenuis is a separate species. The genitalia of the type of P. reuteri were studied.