

small, 3d long and slender, 4th stouter and ovate: thorax subquadrate, the angles rounded convex, the anterior margin thin, the sides slightly emarginate: scutellum trigonate minute: superior wings elongate-ovate, with 2 elevated nervures forming a loop on each.

1. *Capitata*. *Wolff*.

This genus is at once distinguished from the other *Tingidæ* by its thorax being truncated behind, and the scutellum being visible.

*Fam. COREIDÆ.*

GEN. 1104.—*PANTILIUS*. *Curt.*

Elliptical, depressed: head small, subtrigonate: eyes very prominent: rostrum not long, but very slender: antennæ inserted before the eyes, almost as long as the body, subsetaceous and geniculated, 4-jointed, basal joint rather long, robust, and cylindrical, 2d thrice as long and slenderer, 3d not so long as the 1st, and more slender, 4th the shortest, somewhat tongue-shaped: thorax trapezoid: scutellum triangular: wings considerably longer than the body, superior very long and linear, a little dilated and rounded at the apex, with 2 strong nervures forming a loop on the membranous part: inferior wings ample: legs nearly of equal length, the posterior tibiæ rather the longest, and not bristly: tarsi very short, basal joints minute.

1. *Tunicatus*. *Fab.*

This genus is identified by the shortness of the terminal joints of the antennæ, by its smooth and comparatively short hinder tibiæ, and the short tarsi.

GEN. 1114.—*LORICULA*. *Curt.*

Folliform: head elongated, cylindrical, the nasus produced: antennæ attached to 2 scapes before the eyes, which are lateral, but not very prominent, shorter than the body, slightly clavate, and 4-jointed, basal joint short and subovate, 2d the longest, subclavate, the others nearly of equal length, the terminal joint rather stouter, and ovate at the apex: rostrum long and attenuated: thorax considerably broader than the head, subtrapezoid, anterior margin concave, posterior nearly straight: scutellum rather large and triangular: superior wings ovate-trigonal, very

<sup>b</sup> As this is a term not mentioned by Mr. Kirby, it may be as well to state that it signifies, of the shape of bellows; viz. pear-shaped, but depressed.