b. First joint of posterior tarsi longer than second and about equal in length to third joint.

## 1374. Megacœlum rubricatum, sp. n.

Head, antennæ and pronotum ochraceous; a central line to apex of head, eyes and lateral areas of pronotum dark fuscous or black; apical transverse striæ and basal margin to head and minute discal spots to pronotum sanguineous; scutellum and corium dull sanguineous, lateral area of the last, including cuneus, stramineous; membrane slate-grey, subhyaline; body beneath and legs very pale ochraceous; basal joint of antennæ and lateral margins of sternum and abdomen sanguineous; first joint of antennæ scarcely longer than head, second more than twice as long as first; body finely pilose; posterior tibiæ setose.

Length  $5\frac{1}{2}$  millim.

Hab. Ceylon; Peradeniya and Pundaluoya (Green).

Swept from grass (E. E. Green).

## c. Posterior tursi mutilated in specimens examined.

1375. Megacelum forsythi, Dist. (Calocoris) Tr. E. S. 1879, p. 125; id. (Calocoris) Sec. Yark. Miss., Rhynch. p. 10, f. 8 (1878); Horv. (Calocoris) Termész. Füzetek, xii, p. 38 (1889).

Brownish testaceous; antennæ with the first joint not quite so long as head and pronotum, second slightly and gradually thickened towards apex, third pale luteous at base, fourth mutilated in specimen described; head with a deep central longitudinal incision between the eyes; pronotum rugulose, faintly anteriorly and more distinctly so towards posterior margin; hemelytra slightly pilose, somewhat paler towards costal margin, and with the extreme outer margin somewhat obscurely piceous; membrane pale fuscous, somewhat clouded; scutellum obscurely and transversely strigose; body beneath castaneous; anterior legs ochraceous, tibiæ with a longitudinal series of small brownish spots. Intermediate and posterior legs mutilated in specimen described.

Length 7 millim.

Hab. Kashmir (fide Horvath). Punjáb; Murree (Stoliczka).

## 1376. Megacœlum hampsoni, sp. n.

Obscure sanguineous; pronotum, scutellum, lateral margins of corium, tibiæ and tarsi pale luteous; membrane dark fuliginous with a pale basal spot; apex of head, lateral areas of sternum, and apex of abdomen fuscous.

A single specimen of this distinct species in mutilated condition; the above characters will distinguish it, and more minute description

must await the arrival of specimens in better condition.

Length 6 millim.

Hab. Nilgiri Hills (Hampson).