

Holotype: Male, 25 June, 1915, Batavia, N. Y. (H. H. Knight); author's collection. Allotype: same data as the type. Paratypes: Males and females (24), taken with the types. CONNECTICUT—Male, 17 July, 1909, Middletown (C. W. Johnson). MAINE—Female, 10 July, 1907, Calais; Male, 20 July, 1907, Capens; male and females (3), 15 July, 1909, Eastport; Male, 26 July, 1906, Males (7) and females (4), 22 July, 1909, Machias; Males and females, 12 July, 1909, Princeton; male, 27 July, 1910, Traveller Mountain (C. W. Johnson). NEW HAMPSHIRE—Male, Mt. Washington (Mrs. A. T. Slosson). Males (2) and females (3), 15 July, male and females (2), 24 July, 1915, Glen House; male and female, July, 1913 (alt. 3000 ft.), female, 15 July, female, 28 July, 1915, Mt. Washington; male, 18 July, 1915, Halfway House, Mt. Washington (C. W. Johnson). NEW YORK—Females (2), 4 July, 1915, Four Mile; Female, 26 July, 1916, Ithaca; Females (4), 22 Aug., 1916, Whiteface Mountain (H. H. Knight). VERMONT—Male and females (2), 26 June, 1906, Montpelier (C. W. Johnson). ONTARIO—Females (3), 10 July, 1915, Parry Sound (H. S. Parish).

*Plagiognathus flavoscutellatus* Knight, new species.

*Male*: Length 4.4 mm., width 1.67 mm. Head: Width .80 mm., vertex .36 mm.; black, vertex and front more or less yellowish. Rostrum, length 1.57 mm., reaching to middle of hind coxae, black.

Antennae: Segment i, length .31 mm., black, narrowly pale at apex; ii, 1.43 mm., black, cylindrical, slightly thinner than segment i; iii, .88 mm., brownish black; iv, mutilated.

Pronotum: Length .68 mm., width at base 1.29 mm.; black, moderately shining, pale pubescent. Scutellum black, becoming pale at apex and along median line, sometimes only the basal angles remaining dark. Sternum and pleura black, ostiolar peritreme somewhat yellowish.

Hemelytra: Embolar margin very slightly arcuate; black, basal half of embolium and corium, apex of embolium, base and outer margin of cuneus, pale to yellow, pale color on corium finding its distal limit along radial vein rather than along claval suture. Membrane uniformly fuscous, a clear spot bordering apex of cuneus, veins pale or yellowish.

Legs: Fulvous to dark brown, femora with two rows of black spots on anterior face, irregularly spotted on posterior face; coxae blackish except apically; knees black, tibiae with prominent black spines, black spots at base of spines becoming obsolete apically. Venter black, moderately shining, pale pubescent; genital characters distinctive.

*Female*: Length 4.3 mm., width 1.7 mm.; more robust than the male, usually more broadly pale; scutellum except base, just before calli and a slight vitta on median line at base of pronotal disk, pale; embolium, claval suture, anal ridge and joining with base of cuneus, pale; dark color of cuneus reduced to a blackish spot bordering smaller areole; legs more fulvous than in the male.

Food plant: *Salix longifolia*.

Holotype: Male, 6 Aug., 1914, Batavia, N. Y. (H. H. Knight); author's collection. Allotype: 12 July, 1919, Hennepin County, Minnesota (H. H.