

Pronotum: Length .97 mm., width at base 1.6 mm. Genital segment with less prominent tubercle above base of left clasper than in *lasiomerus*.

Female: Length 6.8 mm., width 2.4 mm.; slightly more robust than the male but very similar in coloration.

Occurs on mixed herbaceous growth; probably phytophagous. Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New York.

***Phytocoris rubropictus* Knight, new species.**

Female: Length 7.4 mm., width 2.5 mm. Head: Width 1.08 mm., vertex .51 mm.; very similar to *lasiomerus* but with brighter red. Rostrum, length 3.57 mm., yellowish to reddish, blackish on apex.

Antennae: Segment i, length 1.8 mm., thickness .26 mm., nearly equal to dorsal thickness of an eye, yellowish and irregularly marked with reddish, more uniformly reddish near apex, clothed with nearly erect black hairs and intermixed with bristle-like hairs which are easily confused with the former; ii, 3.2 mm., slender, pale, becoming brownish at apex and narrowly reddish at base, pale pubescent; iii, 2.14 mm., yellowish, dusky apically; iv, 1.67 mm., pale fuscous.

Pronotum: Length 1.11 mm., width at base 1.77 mm.; reddish, calli except outer margins, and a nearly quadrangular area on central portion of disk, yellowish, thus leaving basal margin and broad lateral margins red; lower margin of propleura pale to yellowish, also a somewhat indistinct yellowish ray across top of coxal cleft and extending to posterior margin; disk clothed with rather short blackish hairs, lateral margins and collar set with longer hairs, almost destitute of pale sericeous pubescence. Scutellum and mesoscutum uniformly yellow, rather sparsely clothed with short, pale to yellowish pubescent hairs. Sternum yellowish to reddish, pleura reddish to fuscous; ostiolar peritreme pale to reddish, more reddish above.

Hemelytra: Embolar margins moderately arcuate; dull reddish, irregularly irrorate with yellowish; clavus reddish, claval vein yellowish; corium reddish, inner and outer margins more yellowish than red; embolium yellowish but with more or less reddish developing in hypodermis; yellowish pubescent, rather sparsely set with groups of prostrate, pale sericeous pubescence; cuneus uniformly red, inner angle somewhat yellowish. Membrane pale fumate and conspurcate with fuscous, the spots coalescing apically to form fuscous margin at apex, veins red.

Legs: Yellowish, femora with small irregular reddish spots developing in hypodermis; hind femora with much less reddish than either *lasiomerus* or *pallidicornis*; tarsi fuscous on apices.

Venter: Yellowish to reddish, yellowish pubescent.

Male: Length 8 mm., width 2.5 mm.; similar to the female in coloration but in form more slender. Head: Width 1.11 mm., vertex .48 mm. Antennae: Segment i, length 1.97 mm., thick-