

Male: Length 6.7 mm., width 2.2 mm. Very similar to *cortitectus* only larger; nearly the size of *onustus* but more slender and paler in color; corium with a longitudinal pale area which extends upon base of cuneus without interruption at the cubitus; flagellum and right genital clasper distinctive of the species (fig. 149: 4).

Female: Very similar to the male only slightly more robust.

Occurs on the bark of *Carpinus caroliniana*.

New York.

***P. salicis Knight.**

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Male: Length 6 mm., width 2.1 mm. Very similar to *eximius* but distinctly brownish above; fuscous coloration of the hemelytra interspersed with brownish maculations; antennal segment ii more distinctly pale fuscous, becoming dark only at apex and next to the pale basal annulation; membrane paler on the central area and with a median pale ray extending to apex; genital claspers and flagellum distinctive of the species (fig. 149: 13).

Female: Very similar to the male in size and coloration.

Breeds on willow, chiefly *Salix nigra*, where the species appears to be predaceous on soft-bodied insects living on that tree.

Branford, 15 July, 1904 (H. W. W.); Litchfield, 22 July, 1920 (P. G.).
Phytocoris husseyi Knight, new species.

Male: Length 5.1 mm., width 2 mm. Head: Width 1.04 mm., vertex .33 mm.; pale to yellowish, median line of front and two or three incomplete oblique lines at each side reddish to blackish; lower part of front, base of tylus, lower half of tylus except for small spot each side by lora, about base of antenna, basal half of juga, dorsal margin of lora, and bucculae, reddish to black, gula and areas between the black, white. Rostrum, length 2.26 mm., reaching upon fourth ventral segment, pale, apex blackish.

Antennae: Segment i, length 1.18 mm., deep black, dorsal aspect with two large and six or seven small white spots, setae pale to blackish; ii, 2.4 mm., black, pale at base, somewhat brownish at middle of dorsal aspect; iii, 1.41 mm., black, pale at base; iv, 1.2 mm., black.

Pronotum: Length .91 mm., width at base 1.6 mm.; nearly as in *erectus* but calli and between, more yellowish. Scutellum pale to yellowish, with heavy oblique black mark on apical half each side of median line, brownish color extending cephalad from the black marks. Sternum black, pale area extending behind lower white margin of propleura; pleura black, ventral margin of epimeron and the ostiolar peritreme white.

Hemelytra: Nearly as in *erectus* but with more black, disk of clavus blackish but broken by paler irrorations of brownish and fuscous; clothed with erect short blackish hairs and intermixed with tufts of white sericeous tomentose pubescence, more nearly like *buenoi* in this respect. Cuneus yellowish to dusky, apical half