

♂. Length 2.7 mm., width 1.1 mm. Head: width .66 mm., vertex .19 mm. Rostrum, length 1.11 mm., only slightly exceeding posterior margins of hind coxæ. Antennæ: segment I, length .20 mm.; II, .97 mm.; III, .57 mm.; IV, .32 mm.; uniformly pale yellowish. Pronotum: length .43 mm.; width at base .86 mm. Pale yellowish to greenish yellow, eyes reddish; membrane uniformly light fuscous, veins bright red; clothed with silvery white, sericeous or scale-like pubescence, two points on inner margin of cuneus with black scale-like hairs; the whole dorsum also clothed with longer, more erect, pale yellowish pubescent hairs. Legs pale yellowish, femora with minute pale fuscous ring around base of each hair; tibiæ with obscure fuscous spot at base of each spine; tarsi pale, claws black. Genital claspers distinctive, right clasper terminating with a slender acuminate point at apex of dorsal margin.

♀. Length 2.7 mm., width 1.17 mm.; slightly more robust than the male, but similar in pubescence and coloration.

*Holotype*: ♂, July 20, 1917, Texas Pass, Arizona (H. H. Knight); author's collection. *Allotype*: Same data as type. *Paratype*: ♂, taken with the types.

*Parthenicus baccharidis* new species.

Allied to *psalliodes* Reut., but distinguished by the general pale color, impunctate hind tibiæ, although with minute fuscous dots on hind femora; silvery pubescent, but with golden sericeous pubescence on clavus and corium.

♂. Length 2.7 mm., width 1.03 mm. Head: width .63 mm., vertex .23 mm. Rostrum, length 1 mm., scarcely exceeding posterior margins of hind coxæ. Antennæ: segment I, length .20 mm.; II, .88 mm.; III, .63 mm.; IV, .33 mm. Pronotum: length .43 mm., width at base .86 mm. Color pale testaceous white, eyes reddish, basal half of scutellum slightly darkened, also dusky at inner apical angles of corium; membrane uniformly pale fuscous, veins pale, two orange flecks on apex of areoles. Femora with minute fuscous dots, one at base of each pubescent hair, obsolete ventrally; intermediate femora with reddish marks appearing on ventral surface; tibiæ pale, with fuscous dots at base of spines except on hind pair. Clothed with pale to yellowish simple pubescence, intermixed with more thickly set, prostrate, silvery sericeous pubescence, clavus except base and apex, corium, and cuneus, set with golden sericeous pubescence; inner apical angles of corium and inner margin of cuneus set with bronze to dusky scale-like pubescence. Genital claspers very similar to those of *psalliodes* Reuter.

♀. Length 2.7 mm., width 1.08 mm. Head: width .57 mm., vertex .28 mm. Antennæ: segment I, length .18 mm.; II, .91 mm.; III, .60 mm.; IV, .31 mm. Pronotum: length .40 mm., width at base .86 mm. Similar to the male in pubescence and coloration.