

bolium, cuneus and apex of the corium beyond the tip of the clavus polished, the rest of the corium and the clavus opaque; clavus, embolium and opaque portion of the corium chocolate or rufous-brown; cuneus and apex of the corium black. Membrane black with a broad transverse white vitta at the apex of the cuneus, interrupted in the middle. Beneath black, the disk of the ventral segments rastrate; propleura and legs rufous. Osteolar canal distinctly elevated, the apex a little bent forward.

Described from two females taken at an altitude of about 5000 feet in the Cuyamacas in October 1913. Two damaged specimens that seem to belong here were taken by Dr. J. C. Bradley at Felton, Calif., in September and at Sisson, Calif., in August, 1908. This pretty species runs to "11" in Reuter's key.

119. *Triphleps tristicolor* White. April to August; not uncommon.

120. *Scoloposcelis discalis* n. sp.

Closely allied to *flavicornis* Reut. but shorter and broader with the disk of the elytra conspicuously white. Length $2\frac{1}{4}$ mm.

Black. Head and pronotum polished, the posterior disk of the latter a little transversely depressed and roughened. Antennæ testaceous brown, basal joint black, reaching the apex of the head; second stout, clavate, as long as the width of the head across the eyes; third and fourth very slender, subequal, together hardly longer than the second. Rostrum pale, attaining the anterior coxæ. Scutellum black, polished on the base, transversely depressed before the apex. Elytra white, when closed showing the hyaline colors of the wings beneath; scutellar and commissural margins of the clavus, embolium and cuneus black. Membrane hyaline white. Beneath and legs black, the tibiæ, tarsi and oviduct of the female flavo-testaceous. Osteolar canal long, subangularly curved at about its middle, its acute apex almost reaching the anterior angles of the metapleura.

Described from 1 female and five males taken from under the loose bark of a rotting cottonwood log at Lakeside, October 2, 1913. This species is near *flavicornis* but its broader form, shorter second joint of the antennæ and its smaller size will distinguish it. The inner angle of the cuneus is entirely black in this species.

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121. *Phytocoris vau* Van D. Taken occasionally on *Adenostoma* from May to July but it does not seem to be common here. It is a pretty green insect with black clavus and dark castaneous legs and antennæ.

122. *Phytocoris rufoscriptus* n. sp

Form and aspect of *puella* but much larger; soiled whitish-yellow, the elytra and hind femora quite uniformly inscribed with sanguineous. Length 7 mm.

Head produced as in *cunealis*. First joint of the antennæ linear, not thickened toward the base as in *puella*, clothed with white hairs which are distinctly longer than the thickness of the joint.