

*Type locality*, Pasadena, California.

*Sericophanes noctuans* Knight, I have taken at Soboba Springs in the San Jacinto Mountains, California, and at Cayton, Shasta Co., Calif. Mr. Knight was certainly right in placing this genus near *Pilophorus*. Another genus wrongly placed in the Halodapini in my catalogue is *Dacera* which undoubtedly should go in Division Myrmecoraria near *Mimoceps*.

#### 16. *Coquillettia foxi*, new species

Allied to *insignis*, but smaller, more slender and very distinct by the white elytra marked by a black band on apex of corium. Length scant 6 mm.

Head more porrect than in *insignis*, the gula and margin of bucculæ in nearly the same plane, quite strongly angled in allied species; segment I of antennæ scarcely longer than width of eye viewed from the side, less than width of vertex between eyes; II a little more than length of claval suture; length of pronotum about half its basal width; elytra distinctly but not strongly widened at apex of corium; tip of abdomen reaching nearly to apex of cuneus; rostrum attaining intermediate coxæ.

Color, pale rufo-fulvous becoming clearer red on scutellum and beneath, the abdomen in the holotype piceous; antennæ infuscated with segment I and base of II paler; elytra white tinged with yellow on clavus, costal margin and middle of cuneus; apex of corium with a broad band of deep black which is one-half longer than width of corium at that point and is cut almost square across anteriorly at the apex of the clavus; cuneus white shading to pale yellow next the black apex; membrane infuscated on its apical half; tibiæ and tarsi more or less infuscated, the posterior more strongly so; rostrum piceous on apical half; abdomen piceous, reddish at base with a pale band separating these portions.

Described from one male taken by Mr. C. L. Fox at Olancha, Inyo Co., Calif., June 5, 1917, and one male taken by Mr. J. O. Martin on the Mohave Desert, California, June 9, 1918.

I take pleasure in dedicating this distinct and pretty species to Mr. C. L. Fox in recognition of his valuable services in enlarging our knowledge of the insect fauna of California.

*Holotype*, male, No. 772, Mus. Calif. Acad. Sci.; a *paratype* also in the Academy's collection.

*Type locality*, Olancha, Inyo County, Calif.

The four species known to me may be separated by the following key: