



Fig. 30. *Orthotylus acacicola* Lindberg: a). *Erythrocorista echii* Lindberg: b). *E. odontospermi* Lindberg: c). After Lindberg 1958.

Orthotylus (Melanotrichus) sp.

Material: The Cape Verde Islands: Sal Santa Maria, 3 exx, 18–26.I.1954; Sal Pedro Lume, 3 exx, 19–27.I.1954, H.Lindberg, in Mus. Helsinki.

Recorded as *O. pusillus* Reuter in Lindberg 1958:104. Since the specimens studied are females, a positive identification is impossible.

Genus *Erythrocorista* Lindberg

Erythrocorista Lindberg 1958:107. Type species: *E. echii* Lindberg.

Diagnosis: Principal characters as in *Orthotylus*, from which it is distinguished by the distinctive longitudinal red stripes on the upper surface.

Description: The original description is not repeated. Hair covering double: long dense erect brownish hairs and patches of adpressed silvery brown-like pubescence.

Male genitalia (according to Lindberg): right style narrow, falcate. Left style with long digitate hypophysis and small rounded sensory lobe. Aedeagus without sclerified vesical processes.

Biology: On *Echium* and *Odontospermum*.

Distribution: Known only from the Cape Verde Islands.

***Erythrocorista echii* Lindberg**

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Erythrocorista echii Lindberg 1958:108.

Types: The Cape Verde Islands: São Tiego, Serra do Pico la Antonio, ♂ lectotype, designated by Schuh, 7 paratypes, 10.II.1954, H. Lindberg, in Mus. Helsinki, a paratype in coll. Linnavuori.

The original description not repeated.

Biology: On *Echium hypertropicum*.

***Erythrocorista odontospermi* Lindberg**

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Erythrocorista odontospermi Lindberg 1958:109.

Types: The Cape Verde Islands: São Nicolau, Monte Gordo, ♂ holotype, 1 ♀ paratype, 15.XII.1953, H.Lindberg, in Mus. Helsinki.

The original description not repeated.

Biology: On *Odontospermum smithii*.