

Fig. 6. — a) *Trichophorella pilipes* Linnavuori, b) *Hallodapus basilewskyi* (Carvalho), and c) *H. curtipes* (Linnavuori) . After Linnavuori 1975.

Body elongate. Upper surface with erect black bristles and pale adpressed pubescence. Eyes in \circlearrowleft large, vertex in \circlearrowleft 0.88–1.09 x, in \circlearrowleft 1.8–2.1 × as broad as eye. Antennae long, proportions between joints 16:53:38:27 (\circlearrowleft), 20:60:? (\circlearrowleft); 1st joint 0.82–0.84 (\circlearrowleft) or about 1.05 (\circlearrowleft) × as long as diatone, 2nd joint 1.8–2.0 × as long as basal width of pronotum. Rostrum extending to base of abdomen. Setae of tibiae brown, longest bristles on hind tibia at most twice as long as tibial diameter.

Male genitalia in Figs. 9a–g, 11c. Pygofer with subapical spine on ventral surface. Hypophysis of left style blade-line, sensory lobe with two spines. Vesica short.

Distribution: apparently Holosudanese.

The species is easily recognized by the dark antennae and the male genitalia.

T. sordidipennis Reuter

Figs. 8f, h-p

Trichophorella sordidipennis Reuter 1905:21.

Type studied: West Africa, Assinie, ♀ holotype (without head and pronotum), in Mus. Helsinki.

Material: Ivory Coast: Adiopodoumé, 1 Q, IV-V.1964, R. Cobben. Nigeria: B Pl St., near Makurdi, 2 ぴぴ, 30.VIII.1973, Linnavuori.

Length ♂ 4.0–4.25, ♀ 4.5–5.25 mm. Head and pronotum dark coffee-brown. Eyes dark reddish brown. Antennae pale ochraceous, 1st joint, excluding extreme tip and a longitudinal stripe

on outer surface of apical third, dark brown, extreme base of 2nd segment also embrowned. Scutellum dark golden brown. Clavus and corium yellow-brown with slight reddish tinge, inner apical angle of corium slightly embrowned, cuneus contrastingly blackish purple, membrane brownish. Under surface of thorax dark purplish. Venter blackish or red. Coxae pale. Legs yellow-brown. Fore and middle femora golden, hind femur, excluding apex, dark brown; hind tibiae also embrowned.

Eyes large, vertex in \circlearrowleft 0.84–0.86, in \circlearrowleft 1.81 × as broad as eye. 1st antennal joint 0.75–0.80 (\circlearrowleft) ×, in \circlearrowleft 1.05 × as long as diatone; 2nd 1.41 × as long as basal width of pronotum. Tibial spines shortish.

Male genitalia (Fig. 8h-p) as in the following race.

Distribution: Guinean.

T. sordidipennis palustris Linnavuori, status n. Figs. 8g, 9h-k

Trichophorella palustris Linnavuori 1975:64.

Types studied: The Sudan, Bahr el Ghazal, Wau, male holotype, 19.II.1963; Upper Nile, Malakal, 2 paratypes, 5–20.I.1963, Renk - Malakal, 1 paratype, 3–5.I.1963, Linnavuori, in coll. Linnavuori.

Material: East Africa: Langenburg, 1 ex, Fülleborn, in Mus. Helsinki.

Length 4.5–5.0 mm. Pale yellow-brown. Head and pronotum with golden tinge. 1st antennal joint