pronotum is unarmed and the wings have four apical cells; the upper cell, however, is occasionally extremely minute; the shoulders are very slightly and bluntly prominent; the pronotum is obtriangular in shape, strongly punctured, with a distinct dorsal elevated line, and more or less distinct raised lines on each side of it.

1. Ochopepla corrosa. (Tab. IV. figg. 6, 6 a, b.)


_Hab._ PANAMA, Volcan de Chiriqui 2500 feet (Champion).—COLOMBIA, Bogota.

One female specimen from Chiriqui, which we figure. I have examined the type-specimen of _O. corrosa_, which, as Stål remarks, has the tegmina of abnormal length; in other points, however, it scarcely appears to differ from _O. punctum_, and I have therefore regarded them as synonymous. Stål remarks of _O. punctum_: “Ab _O. corrosa_ vix differt, nisi magnitudine minore tegminibusque brevioribus.”

2. Ochopepla pallens.


_Hab._ MEXICO, Tepac in Tabasco (H. H. Smith).

We have received a male and a female of this insect from Tabasco. Stål says of this species: “*O. corrosae* simillima, minor, paullo latior et convexior, processu postico thoracis paullo latiore, tegminibus brevioribus, parte sextâ apicali pone abdomen extensâ: e Mexico. An distincta?” _O. pallens_ certainly resembles _O. corrosa_ very closely, but it is so much smaller that it can hardly be considered as identical unless intermediate forms are discovered.

_Triquetra hebes_, Walk. (List of Homopt. Ins. ii. p. 525), closely resembles _O. pallens_, and must, I think, at all events, be referred to this genus.

3. Ochopepla inaequalis, sp. n. (Tab. IV. figg. 8, 8 a, b.)

*O. pallentii* affinis, sed angustior, pronoto inaequali, fortexte punctato, utrinque pone humeros sat prominulos, et ante apicem, depresso, dorso late elevato, ochraceo vel ochraceo-brunneo, unicolori, vel maculis duabus fuscis plus minusve distinctis supra caput, et interdum maculis albis indistinctis fuscis in disco vel ante apicem notatis; tegminibus hyalinis, venis testaceis vel fuscis, nonnullum fusco-notatis; pedibus testaceis, tarsis antici et intermediis interdum infuscatis.

Closely allied to _O. pallens_ but narrower, with the pronotum much less even, and appearing sinuate if viewed from the side, the elevated lines more marked and the humeral prominences more produced, the latter, if viewed from above, appearing very slightly recurved in some specimens; the colour is variable, being sometimes unicolorous ochraceous, but there are often two dark spots just above the head and sometimes others on the disc or towards the apex of the pronotum; some specimens are brownish or obscure ferruginous; the tegmina are coloured like the pronotum, being sometimes unicolorous, and sometimes marked with dark patches in the more darkly coloured specimens.

_Long._ 3½, _cum tegm._ 5 millim.; _lat._ inter cornua 3 millim.