

12. *Hylodes venustus*, sp. n. (Tab. LXVIII. fig. C.)*Hab.* MEXICO, Jalapa (*F. D. G.*).

Habit moderately stout, the length of the body being less than the distance between vent and heel. Head moderately broad, with subacuminate snout; snout with distinct canthus and subvertical sides. Tympanum half the size of the eye (in an adult female), round. Vomerine teeth in two small rounded groups behind the choanæ, well separated from each other. Upper parts smooth, with the exception of a pair of undulated linear folds which run from the superciliary to the end of the transverse processes of the sacral vertebra; also a fold above and round the tympanum. Upper parts of the head smooth, with a few indistinct tubercles on the upper eyelid. Legs and lower parts smooth. Disks of the fingers and toes small; first finger longer than second. Two metatarsal tubercles; subarticular tubercles on the metatarsals. Upper parts light mauve-coloured, back between the linear folds dark purplish; linear folds, a band along the canthus rostralis and above and round the tympanum, an oval spot on each side of the pelvis, and some small irregular spots on the sides of the body, black. No interorbital band. Upper lip and hinder parts of the thighs powdered with grey. Lower parts white, immaculate.

Length of body 35 millim.

Distance between vent and heel 40 „

Allied to *H. rugosus*, but differing in the smoothness of the skin, longer hind legs, and coloration.

13. *Hylodes florulentus*.*Lithodytes florulentus*, Cope, Proc. Am. Phil. Soc. 1894, p. 336.*Hab.* COSTA RICA, Boruca (*Cherrie*).

Habit rather stout, the length of the body exceeding the distance between vent and heel. Tympanum vertically oval, about half the width of the eye. *Vomerine teeth in two fascicles close together, behind the choanæ, but well within their inner margins.* Tips of the fingers and toes with very small dilatations; two metatarsal tubercles. Back with a few small tubercles, otherwise smooth. Grey, dusted with blackish; hind limbs black behind, with dark grey cross-bands above, and with the spaces between these bands scarlet. Posterior part of the sides and anterior portion of the abdomen blackish-brown, with crimson and orange spots of various sizes and shapes, the largest in the groin. Fore limbs with cross-bands. (After Cope.)

Length of body 35 millim.

„ hind limb from groin 51 „

„ hind foot 24 „

„ tarsus 9 „

Known from a single specimen, in which the integuments of the head are destroyed.