

thorace utrinque vitta lata distincta piceo-nigra. Rufescenti-fulva, elytris (margine excepto) meso- et metathorace nigris.

Long. $1\frac{3}{4}$ lin.

Hab. PANAMA, Bugaba (*Champion*).

One example only.

8. *Pentagonica albipes*.

P. piceæ (Chaud.) proxime affinis et similis, sed differt elytris subtilius striatis. Parva, piceo- vel castaneo-nigra, antennis testaceo-fulvis, scapo palpisque fuscis, pedibus testaceo-albis; thorace minus lato, lateribus ante et post angulum subrectis; elytris subtiliter punctulato-striatis, interstitiis interioribus usque ad apicem convexis, exterioribus planissimis; marginibus laterali et suturali angustissime rufescentibus.

Long. 2 lin.

Hab. GUATEMALA, Mirandilla (*Champion*); PANAMA, Bugaba (*Champion*).

Resembles much the Brazilian *P. picea*, and apparently also *P. flavipes*, Lec., of Louisiana, but differing from the latter strikingly in the colour of the antennæ.

Subfam. *LEBIINÆ*.

LOXOPEZA.

Loxopeza, Chaudoir, Monographie des Lébiides, p. 28 (Bull. Mosc. vol. xliv. 1871).

A genus exclusively American, and nearly restricted to the temperate zones, north and south, the majority of the species belonging to the United States and Mexico. Ten species were enumerated in Chaudoir's monograph.

1. *Loxopeza högei*. (Tab. X. fig. 1.)

Late oblonga, rufa, elytris læte viridi-æneis apicem versus nitidioribus, epipleuris marginibusque explanatis rufis, ventris segmentis posterioribus margine plus minusve infuscatis; capite sparsim punctulato rugulisque obsoletis; thorace latissimo (duplo magis lato quam longo), a collo usque medium rotundato-ampliato, deinde lateribus usque ad angulos fere rectis, margine late explanato modice reflexo, angulis posticis apice obtusis, dorso grossius vermiculato-rugoso; elytris acute striatis, interstitiis valde convexis sed versus apicem deplanatis et apud apicem planissimis subtiliter alutaceis; tarsis posticis articulo penultimo bilobato, lobis apice rotundatis.

Long. $4\frac{1}{4}$ – $4\frac{1}{2}$ lin. ($8\frac{1}{2}$ – $9\frac{1}{4}$ millim.).

Hab. MEXICO, Jalapa (*Höge*).

The elytra are similar in colour and striation to the same parts in *L. tricolor*, excepting the red margins and epipleuræ.

2. *Loxopeza xanthogaster*.

L. högei proxime affinis, sed multo minor, elytris adhuc lætius viridi-æneis etc. Testaceo-rufa, elytris lætissime viridi-æneis; capite subtiliter flexuoso-striguloso, nitido; thorace valde transverso sed quam in *L. högei* angustiore, dorso crebrius et subtilius vermiculato-rugoso; elytris profundius striatis, interstitiis altius