

C. ioessa by the forehead being more vertical and distinctly strigose on each side, and (in the green form) by the different colour of the side margins of the elytra and the under surface of the body." (Tab. XIII. fig. 3.)

10 (A). *Cicindela nephelota*.

Cicindela nephelota, Bates, Ann. & Mag. Nat. Hist. ser. 5, ix. p. 319.

"Minus elongata, postice paullo dilatata, supra fusco-ænea opaca nigro-fusco varia, elytris vitta marginali (ab humero usque ultra medium continuata, post humerum a margine paullulum remota) intus ramulos duos emittente, primum brevem, secundum obliquum, subrectum versus suturam extensum, lunula apicali et gutta antico-discoïdali, albis; labro albo, antice medio paullulum producto denticulato, utrinque sinuato, angulis subrectis; palpis rufo-testaceis, articulis apicalibus cupreo-æneis; capite toto valde strigoso, inter oculos paullo concavo; thorace parvo, lateribus medio rotundatis nec angulatis, disco utrinque convexo, longe incumbenti-piloso, striguloso; elytris inæqualibus, haud profunde punctatis, signaturis albis albo-fusco marginatis; corpore subtus nitido, cyaneo, pectoris lateribus igneo-cupreis parce pilosis; pedibus cupreis. Long. $3\frac{3}{4}$ – $4\frac{1}{4}$ lin. ♂ ♀.

"*Hab.* MEXICO, Ciudad in Durango (*Forrer*).

"This curious little species is not closely allied to any *Cicindela* known to me. It seems to approach nearest *C. semicircularis*."

10 (B). *Cicindela chrysippe*. (Tab. XIII. fig. 2.)

Convexa, lætissime subaurato-viridis, nitida, elytris apice obtuse rotundatis, sutura dentiformi, omnino subtiliter alutaceis, obsolete punctatis, vitta marginali (humeros et apicem haud attingente) lævi fusco-purpurea, utrinque punctis submarginalibus albis duobus, prima pone medium, secunda ante apicem; corpore subtus cyaneo, pedibus aurato-cupreis; palpis piceo-cupreis; collo crasso, occipite convexo; labro testaceo lateribus auratis, (♂) medio valde producto longe tridentato, lateribus utrinque valide unidentatis.

Long. $4\frac{1}{4}$ lin. ♂.

Hab. MEXICO, Ciudad in Durango (*Forrer*).

This beautiful little species cannot be placed in any of the numerous groups indicated by Chaudoir in his Catalogue of the Cicindelidæ. In some of its characters it approaches *C. pulchra* (Say), especially resembling that species in the form of the head, but differing greatly in the labrum, which in the male is greatly produced in the middle, the produced part having three acute teeth (the middle one longest), and the sides each having also a broad and sharp tooth. The head is finely anastomose-strigose, with the usual more distinct striæ along the forehead near each eye. The palpi are dark piceous, with a red-coppery tinge. The colour of the labrum is not clearly visible in the single specimen sent; but it is metallic on the sides, and apparently non-metallic and dingy testaceous in the middle. The thorax is rather narrower than the head (eyes included) and much more narrowed (in a straight line) to the base than is usual in the genus; its surface is only faintly sculptured and shining. The elytra are subcylindrical and convex; their surface moderately opaque, with very minute sculpture and numerous very shallow, scarcely perceptible punctures; the larger punctures or foveæ so commonly seen in *Cicindelæ* being also present, but very faint. The body beneath is entirely free from hairs, of which also very few are visible on the femora and four anterior coxæ.