

#### 4. *Thoracophorus æqualis*.

Peropacus, rufo-niger; antennis pedibusque rufis; prothorace obsolete costato; elytris regulariter costatis, interstitiis abdomineque esculpturatis.

Long.  $2\frac{1}{8}$  millim.

*Hab.* GUATEMALA, San Gerónimo, Balheu (*Champion*).

Head with a well-marked carina close to the eye and continuous with the anterior margin, and also with two short elevations on the vertex, otherwise flat. Thorax a good deal broader than long, the costæ and depressions obsolete; hind angles obtuse. Elytra nearly twice as long as the thorax; each with three very distinct regular carinæ, but with no sculpture or trace of other carinæ between them. Hind body quite destitute of sculpture.

Closely allied to *T. ruficollis*, but larger and with considerably longer elytra. Four examples.

#### 5. *Thoracophorus ruficollis*.

*Glyptoma ruficolle*, Fauv. Bull. Soc. Linn. Normand. ix. p. 65<sup>1</sup>; Notices ent. ii. p. 61<sup>2</sup>.

*Hab.* MEXICO, Teapa (*Pilate*<sup>1 2</sup>), Cordova (*Sallé*); GUATEMALA, Cubilguitz, Senahu, Capetillo (*Champion*).

#### 6. *Thoracophorus discretus*. (Tab. XIX. fig. 14.)

Rufo-niger, peropacus; antennis pedibusque rufis; prothorace elytrisque obsolete costatis, illo vix transverso; abdomine esculpturato, brevissime setuloso.

Long.  $1\frac{5}{8}$  millim.

*Hab.* GUATEMALA, El Tumbador (*Champion*); PANAMA, Bugaba (*Champion*).

Antennæ rather large, much thicker externally. Head rather small; hind angles minutely denticulate immediately behind the eyes; the vertex obscurely bicarinate, the juxta-ocular carina distinct. Thorax rather broader than long, the surface uneven and with some obscure elevations but without definite carinæ. Elytra a little longer than the thorax; tricostate, with an additional more obsolete carina between the first and second elevations. Hind body dull and rather rough; without definite sculpture, but sprinkled with very minute and short setæ.

This species is allied to *T. ruficollis*, but is smaller and more depressed, has a longer thorax and shorter head and elytra, and slightly different sculpture.

#### 7. *Thoracophorus pusillus*.

Subdepressus, opacus, fusco-ferrugineus; antennis, prothorace pedibusque rufis; prothorace elytrisque minus argute costatis, illo brevi.

Long.  $1\frac{1}{2}$  millim.

*Hab.* GUATEMALA, Teleman (*Champion*).

This insect is closely allied to *T. ruficollis*, but only half the size, has a considerably