

testaceous, the femora piceous towards the apex, the latter strongly clavate outwardly, the tibiae and tarsi very slender, the apices of the femora and the tibiae on all sides sparsely clothed with long erect hairs; the tibiae each with a single sharp short spur.

Length 7-8½ millim.; breadth 1½-1¾ millim. (♂ ♀.)

Hab. PANAMA, Bugaba, Volcan de Chiriqui (*Champion*).

Var. The elytral impressions finer and shallower; the apical portion with very much shallower striae, which, the first excepted, do not extend so near to the apex, and feebly convex interstices.

Hab. NICARAGUA, Chontales (*Janson*).

Seven examples of the type and one of the variety. The latter differs very considerably from the others in the intensity of the elytral sculpture, but it doubtless represents no more than a local form of the same species. The central sheath of the aedeagus of the male terminates in a broad sharply-angled triangular piece. *C. sulci-colle* is allied to *C. decoratum*, *C. calcaratum*, &c., but differs from these in its relatively narrower and more elongate shape, longer head, brilliant metallic green or golden-green colour, &c. The elytral sculpture, as in *C. vitticolle*, somewhat resembles that of certain species of *Strongylium*. The thorax is not only transversely grooved towards the base, but has another transverse deep groove on each side of the disc about the middle.

A typical specimen from the Volcan de Chiriqui is figured.

** *Antennae with the apical joint very elongate in the male; upper surface flavo-testaceous, the prothorax with a black stripe on each side, the elytra spotted.*

4. *Colparthrum vitticolle*. (Tab. III. fig. 22, ♂.)

Elongate, yellowish-testaceous, shining; the prothorax with a long sinuous piceous stripe on each side; the elytra with a common broad transverse band at the base (not extending to the humeral callus or lateral margin), another about the middle (connected with the anterior one along the suture, extending to the lateral margin, and angulate on its lower edge), and an ill-defined oblique patch (connected at the suture) towards the apex, dark brown, the bands reddish within and enclosing a broad transverse yellowish one. Head with a broad and deep transverse depression between the eyes and a few setiferous punctures at the sides and behind, for the rest smooth, the eyes moderately large; antennae (♂) flavo-testaceous, long and very slender—the apical joint rather longer than joints 8-10 united, the latter elongate; prothorax cylindrical, very much longer than broad, the sides completely immarginate, much rounded anteriorly, and compressed and strongly constricted behind, the hind angles prominent but not acute, the disc with a deep transverse groove behind, the surface quite smooth; elytra with prominent shoulders, widest about the middle, with regular rows of closely-placed deep foveate impressions to a little beyond the middle and thence for some distance deeply striate (with fine crenate punctures), the striae (the first excepted) not continued to the apex, the interstices flat to about the middle and at the extreme apex, for the rest convex, the third, fifth, and ninth each with two or three very fine setiferous punctures towards the apex, the apices obtuse; beneath and the legs yellowish-testaceous, the latter long; the femora clavate towards the apex, quite slender at the base, and smooth and glabrous; the tibiae and tarsi long and very slender, the former thickly clothed with long fine erect hairs within and smooth without and without distinct spurs.

Length 7 millim.; breadth 1¾ millim. (♂.)

Hab. NICARAGUA, Chontales (*Belt*).