

9. **Macrobasis beckeri.** (Tab. XVIII. figg. 20, ♂; 20 a, antenna, ♂.)

Macrobasis bekeri (sic), Dugès, An. Mus. Michoacano, ii. p. 113 bis¹.

Hab. MEXICO, Canelas in Durango (*Becker*¹).

Found in numbers by Mr. Becker. Specimens of both sexes are before me. *M. beckeri* agrees with *M. diversicornis* in the form of the antennæ and anterior tarsi in the male; but differs from that species in the finer, darker, and sparser pubescence of the upper surface. The sides and front of the head, the occiput, and the sides, base, and apex of the thorax, and the suture very narrowly, are cinereo-pubescent, the rest of the pubescence being brown. All our specimens are more or less abraded and discoloured.

10. **Macrobasis humeralis.**

Macrobasis humeralis, Dugès, An. Mus. Michoacano, ii. p. 58¹.

Hab. MEXICO, Tepic (*Flohr*¹).

We have apparently not received an example of this species, both sexes of which are described by Dugès. "The antennæ of the male are filiform, their first joint longer than the head, and equal to joints 2-4 united, the second joint longer than the third, and about one half as long as the first, joints 3-10 subequal, 1 and 2 shining. The head and thorax are black, the elytra ferruginous. The pubescence is greyish-yellow; the elytra with a spot on either side of the scutellum and a streak on the humeral callus blackish-pubescent." The form of the anterior tarsi of the male is not mentioned.

11. **Macrobasis tenuicornis.** (Tab. XVIII. figg. 21, ♂; 21 a, antenna, ♂.)

Elongate, black, above and beneath rather densely cinereo-pubescent, the elytra with a small spot at the base on either side of the scutellum and a small patch on the humeri blackish- or brown-pubescent; the legs cinereo-pubescent, the tarsi in great part and the tips of the femora and tibiæ brown-pubescent. Head moderately large, very closely and finely punctured, with a fine median line, the latter ferruginous anteriorly, the palpi pitchy-brown; antennæ black, very slender, setaceous, the basal joints very little thickened in the male; prothorax nearly as wide as the head, as long as broad, rounded at the sides anteriorly, parallel behind, closely and finely punctured, and with a fine median line; elytra elongate, much wider than the prothorax.

♂. Antennæ with the first joint long and slender, extending to the base of the head, and about as long as joints 2-4 united, not sinuate or emarginate on the inner side before the tip; joint 2 very little stouter than 3, and fully one-half longer than it; joints 3-11 elongate, subequal in length; joints 1 and 2 thickly, the others densely, punctured. Anterior tibiæ with a single spur. Anterior tarsi with the first joint slightly longer than the second, not dilated, concave and smooth at the base beneath. Sixth ventral segment feebly emarginate.

Length $12\frac{1}{2}$ - $14\frac{1}{2}$ millim. (♂ ♀.)

Hab. MEXICO, Chilpancingo (*H. H. Smith*).

Two males—one from Chilpancingo, the other from an unknown locality; the latter is contained in Mr. F. Bates's collection. This species differs from its allies in the very long and slender basal joint of the male antenna, this joint being unemarginate on