

Jalapa (*Höge*); GUATEMALA, Zapote, Capetillo, Aceituno, San Gerónimo, San Juan in Vera Paz, Senahu (*Champion*).

This is closely allied to *A. chiriquense*, but is of less elongate form, and the hind femora are clear yellow-red in colour; these two characters seem quite sufficient to distinguish the species from *A. chiriquense*. The upper surface bears a few scattered hairs, and there is a condensation of them at the base of the third interstice of the elytra so as to form a white spot on each side; and there is also a condensation of white setæ at the sides of the breast beneath. The sexual difference in the rostrum is not great, but that of the female is a little longer and more slender.

54. ***Apion maceratum***, sp. n.

Nigrum, subopacum, fere nudum, elytris subænescentibus, pedibus rufis; rostro mediocri, opaco, obsolete sculpturato; prothorace conico-cylindrico, fortiter punctato; elytris profunde sulcatis, subnitidis.

Long. 2 millim.

*Hab.* PANAMA, Tolé, San Feliz (*Champion*).

Rostrum moderately stout, curvate, not elongate, rather shorter than the head and thorax, dull, but the apical portion without distinct sculpture; eyes not large, only slightly prominent, somewhat widely separated; antennæ inserted quite as far in front of the eyes as the width of the ocular interval. Thorax rather narrow, much narrowed in front, coarsely and moderately closely punctured, with a short deep channel in front of the scutellum. Elytra rather narrow, the interstices somewhat narrow but flat. Legs short and stout, red, the tarsi blackish, broad, the coxæ and trochanters black. Under surface almost destitute of pubescence; middle coxæ slightly separated. Four specimens.

In this species the legs are shorter and more robust than they are in *A. relictum*, to which it is similar in appearance.

55. ***Apion pulchripes***, sp. n.

Angustulum, nigrum, opacum, minutissime setoso, antennis pedibusque testaceo-fusco variegatis; rostro parum elongato, opaco; prothorace anterieus subconstricto, dense, minus argute punctato; elytris profunde sulcatis.

Long. 2 millim.

*Hab.* MEXICO, Northern Sonora (*Morrison*); PANAMA, Volcan de Chiriqui (*Champion*).

Rostrum a little shorter than the head and thorax, moderately stout, rather more slender towards the apex, dull, indistinctly sculptured; eyes but little prominent, moderately widely separated, the space between them rather broad, obsoletely sculptured; antennæ flavescent at the base, the club fuscous, their distance from the eyes scarcely so great as the width of the ocular interval. Thorax rather small, not elongate, narrowed in front, and slightly transversely constricted; the punctuation dense but indistinct; a minute channel in front of the scutellum. Elytra deeply sulcate, the interstices