

a shallowly emarginate mesosternum, differently marked elytra, &c. The prothorax is less sinuate at the base, and the tarsal claws are longer, than in *Trachalus micronychus*. The anterior tarsi of the male appear to have a few projecting, longer hairs.

Species moderately large, robust, oblong or elongate, squamose, with the eyes large and covered in repose, the rostrum short (except in *C. octomaculatus*, ♀), the antennal club ovate, the prothorax rounded at the sides and coarsely punctate, the scutellum small, the elytra oblong, maculate, the interstices flat or convex, the mesosternum arcuate-emarginate (horseshoe-shaped in *C. octomaculatus*, ♀), the ventral segment 2 longer than 3, the legs stout, the femora unidentate. (Nos. 19-22.)

These forms approach *Metriophilus*.

19. **Cryptorrhynchus foveifrons**, sp. n. (Tab. XXXI. figg. 24, 24 a.)

Elongate-ovate, robust, shining, black, the antennæ ferruginous; the head, prothorax, and underside very sparsely, and the rest of the surface densely, clothed with reddish-brown and pale ochreous scales, the latter mainly concentrated on the elytra between and around the black dorsal patches and along the outer margin, the dark markings consisting of a common, transverse, quadrate patch at the base, a common pyriform patch beyond the middle, a short sinuous line on the suture at the apex, and a small spot on each side of this on the apical margin, the elytra also set with short, coarse, decumbent setæ. Head very coarsely punctate, carinate on each side around the widely separated eyes, and sulcate and deeply foveate between them, the fovea limited anteriorly by a short, stout, longitudinal ridge; rostrum cylindrical, short, stout, curved, slightly narrowed towards the base, sparsely, rather coarsely punctate, except along the centre, sulcate at the sides, the antennæ inserted towards the apex, stout, joints 3-7 of the funiculus equal in length, 2 shorter than 1, the club short, ovate. Prothorax transverse, strongly rounded at the sides, narrowed and feebly constricted in front; coarsely, densely punctate. Scutellum rounded. Elytra much wider than the prothorax, parallel in their basal half; coarsely seriate-punctate, the interstices almost flat, closely punctulate and obsoletely granulate. Beneath coarsely, closely punctate. Mesosternum arcuate-emarginate. Legs very stout, short, the femora feebly clavate, unidentate, the tibiæ sinuate within.

Length  $7\frac{1}{2}$ , breadth  $3\frac{1}{2}$  millim. (♂.)

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

One specimen. Near *C. v-nigrum*, but with the elytral markings different (the v-shaped dorsal patch being replaced by one of pyriform shape, the triangular lateral spot wanting, &c.), the vestiture not so coarse, the frontal fovea larger and sulciform, the prothorax less coarsely punctate, the scutellum larger.

20. **Cryptorrhynchus V-nigrum**, sp. n. (Tab. XXXI. figg. 25, 25 a.)

Oblong-ovate, robust, shining, black, the antennæ ferruginous; the head, prothorax, and underside sparsely, and the rest of the surface thickly, clothed with coarse, intermixed pale ochreous and fulvous scales, the elytra with a common, interrupted, transverse, subquadrate patch at the base, a common V-shaped mark on the disc beyond the middle, a triangular patch at the sides exterior to this, and a small transversely cordate spot on the suture at the apex, black or blackish-brown, the fulvous scales condensed on each elytron into a broad elongate streak on the outer part of the disc and a patch towards the apex, the tibiæ with a black spot on the outer edge near the base; the elytra also set with short, coarse, decumbent setæ. Head very coarsely punctate, feebly carinate on each side around the widely separated eyes and deeply foveate between them; rostrum curved, short, very stout, cylindrical, sulcate laterally, seriate-punctate, except