

Species moderately large, oblong-ovate, convex, with the elytra, scutellum, and legs densely squamose, the eyes very large and contiguous, the rostrum arcuate, the prothorax short, deeply bisinuate at the base, the scutellum rather large, the elytra oblong, with the alternate interstices raised, the mesosternum arcuate-emarginate, the ventral segment 2 much longer than 3, the femora unidentate, the vestiture of the upper surface as in *Metoposoma*. (No. 31.)

31. *Cryptorrhynchus oculeus*, sp. n. (Tab. XXXII. figg. 5, 5 a.)

Oblong-ovate, convex, shining, black, the antennæ obscure ferruginous; the pronotum sparsely clothed with blackish scales, with a white streak in the centre at the base, the rest of the vestiture closer and entirely whitish, with the exception of the following markings on the elytra, which are black—a transverse humeral patch, some irregular spots along the suture below this, a broad, common, post-median fascia, and a transverse apical spot. Head densely punctate, the eyes very large and contiguous; rostrum strongly curved, stout, rather longer than the prothorax, slightly widened, rugulosely punctate, and carinate at the base, and sparsely, minutely punctate thence to the tip, the antennæ inserted at the middle, joint 2 of the funiculus a little shorter than 1, 5-7 moniliform, the club ovate. Prothorax transverse, arcuately narrowed from the middle, and feebly constricted in front; rather coarsely, confluent punctate, and sharply carinate. Scutellum moderately large, rounded. Elytra oblong, considerably wider than the prothorax; coarsely seriate-punctate, the interstices rugulose, 3, 5, 7, and 9 more or less raised. Beneath sparsely punctate. Mesosternum prominent, arcuate-emarginate. Legs short and stout; femora unidentate; tibiæ carinate.

Length 5-6 $\frac{1}{4}$, breadth 2 $\frac{1}{5}$ -3 millim.

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

Five specimens. Very like the Guatemalan *Staseas pullatus*, but with larger, contiguous eyes, a rather large, rounded scutellum, raised alternate elytral interstices, simple tarsal claws, &c. The elytra are more densely squamose than the prothorax, and the black markings are sharply defined; the third interstice is much raised, the sutural region appearing depressed. The contiguous eyes, the broader prothorax, &c., separate *C. oculeus* from *Metoposoma nigrofasciatum*.

Species small, oblong-ovate, squamose and setulose, with the eyes large, coarsely faceted, and narrowly separated, the antennal club elongate, the rostrum arcuate, widened towards the base, the prothorax bisinuate at the base, the scutellum small, the cavity rather large, the alternate elytral interstices narrowly costate, the mesosternum v-shaped, the metathoracic episterna broad, the ventral segments 2-4 rather long, equal in length, the legs short, the femora unidentate, the tibiæ carinate, rounded externally. (Nos. 32, 33.)

32. *Cryptorrhynchus ruralis*, sp. n.

Oblong-ovate, robust, shining, nigro-piceous, the antennæ and the tips of the tarsi obscure ferruginous; thickly clothed (a broad patch on the disc of the prothorax excepted) with rather coarse brown scales, the elytra slightly mottled with black and with a few intermixed whitish scales; the upper surface also set with semierect, short, scattered setæ. Head rugulosely punctate, the eyes transverse, large, coarsely faceted, somewhat angular above, narrowly separated; rostrum arcuate, short, widened and rugosely punctate at the base, and sparsely, minutely punctate thence to the tip, the antennæ inserted behind the middle, joints 3-7 of the funiculus transverse, together not longer than the elongate club. Prothorax