

finely granulate, 2-9 more or less raised, 3 swollen near the base. Beneath densely punctate. Mesosternum raised and very prominent, feebly emarginate. Femora unidentate.

Length $3\frac{2}{5}$ - $5\frac{2}{5}$, breadth $2\frac{1}{8}$ - $2\frac{4}{5}$ millim. (σ φ .)

Hab. MEXICO, Toxpam and Playa Vicente in Vera Cruz (*Sallé*); GUATEMALA, Senahu in Vera Paz (*Champion*).

Nine specimens, two only of which are from Guatemala, varying in the colour of the scales, and in the size of the six prothoracic elevations. The single example from Playa Vicente has the upper surface mottled with cinereous. *Bothrobatys variegatus*, Kirsch, from Colombia, seems to be an allied form.

46. *Cryptorrhynchus seticollis*, sp. n.

Subovate, opaque, black, the tarsi and antennæ ferruginous; clothed with small intermixed fulvous and blackish scales, the elytra variegated with black, the upper surface also thickly set with short, erect, light and dark setæ, the setosity blackish and abundant on the prothorax and fasciculate on the dorsal elevations of the elytra, the legs setose. Head closely punctate, flattened between the widely separated eyes; rostrum stout, curved, not longer than the prothorax, rugosely punctate and feebly carinate, shining and more sparsely punctured at the tip, the antennæ inserted towards the base, joint 2 of the funiculus shorter than 1, the club ovate. Prothorax transverse, dilated at the sides anteriorly, and abruptly narrowed and constricted in front, strongly bisinuate at the base; closely, finely punctate, and feebly carinate, the disc quadrifasciculate across the middle and bifasciculate at the apex. Scutellum small. Elytra much wider than the prothorax, subparallel to about the middle, deeply sinuate at the base, the humeri rounded; the interstices dull, feebly granulate and somewhat raised (except near the flattened suture), 3 much swollen and fasciculate to about the middle, abruptly depressed below the base, 5 and 7 also more or less raised. Beneath closely punctate. Mesosternum arcuate-emarginate. Femora unidentate.

Length $5\frac{1}{5}$, breadth $2\frac{4}{5}$ millim. (σ .)

Hab. NICARAGUA, Chontales (*Belt*).

One worn specimen. This insect is nearly related to *C. coriarius*, differing from it in the closer and longer setosity of the prothorax, and the much swollen third elytral interstice, which is abruptly depressed a little below the base.

47. *Cryptorrhynchus ignobilis*, sp. n. (Tab. XXXII. figg. 18, 18 a, φ .)

Subovate, opaque, black, the antennæ and the tips of the tarsi ferruginous; variegated above with rather coarse fulvous, black, and ochreous (or cinereous) scales, the ochreous scales on the elytra condensed into a curved or oblique streak below the shoulder and the black ones into a small spot below the base of the third interstice, the scutellum cinereous; the upper surface also somewhat thickly set with short, stout, erect, fulvous and black setæ, the latter clustered into fascicles on the prothorax (four in a transverse series across the middle and two at the apex); the vestiture of the legs and under surface close and coarse, the legs setulose and fusco-annulate. Head rugosely punctate, the eyes widely separated; rostrum short and stout, feebly curved, rugosely punctate and subcarinate in the σ , the apical half rather sparsely punctate in the φ , the antennæ inserted behind the middle, joints 1 and 2 of the funiculus subequal in length, the club ovate. Prothorax transverse, abruptly narrowed and constricted in front; densely, finely punctate, and also carinate. Scutellum rounded. Elytra rather short, much wider than the prothorax, subparallel in their basal half, the humeri obtuse; seriate-punctate, the interstices alutaceous and sparsely granulate, 2-9 convex, 3 slightly swollen below the base. Beneath densely punctate. Mesosternum prominent, broad, feebly emarginate. Legs rugose, moderately long; femora sharply unidentate.

Length $3\frac{1}{2}$ - $4\frac{3}{4}$, breadth $1\frac{7}{8}$ - $2\frac{1}{4}$ millim. (σ φ .)

Hab. GUATEMALA, El Reposo (*Champion*); PANAMA, Bugaba, Volcan de Chiriqui (*Champion*).