

at the sides), and several small scattered spots on the apical declivity, black; the upper surface also set with rather coarse erect setæ, which are seriatly arranged down each elytral interstice, the legs setose. Head densely punctate, the eyes oval, rather narrow, laterally placed; rostrum very short, stout, arcuate, rugulose and squamose at the base, the apical half shining and very finely punctate, the antennæ inserted at the middle, joint 2 of the funiculus short, the club ovate. Prothorax a little broader than long, constricted and gradually narrowed in front; densely, finely punctate. Scutellum rounded. Elytra considerably wider than the prothorax, parallel at the base; punctate-striate, the interstices closely punctate, 3, 5, and 7 convex. Beneath dull, densely punctate. Mesosternum prominent, v-shaped. Legs short; intermediate and posterior femora obsoletely dentate, the anterior pair unarmed.

Length 3, breadth  $1\frac{1}{3}$  millim. (♀.)

*Hab.* PANAMA, Bugaba (*Champion*).

One specimen. Near *C. bisinuatus*, but smaller, the prothorax wanting the sinuous black vittæ, the elytra with a double series of black spots across the middle of the disc (reduced to one at the sides) and various other scattered black spots on the apical declivity, the setæ more numerous, the mesosternum a little more deeply emarginate.

Species small, ovate, robust, densely squamose, with the rostrum strongly arcuate, the antennal club ovate, the eyes very large, coarsely faceted, and rather narrowly separated, the prothorax short, the elytra broad, subtriangular, with small scattered clusters of coarse erect scales on the third and fifth interstices, the mesosternum broad, shallowly arcuate-emarginate, the metathoracic episterna broad, the ventral segment 2 longer than 3, the legs short and stout, the femora unidentate, the tibiæ rounded externally. (No. 92.)

## 92. *Cryptorrhynchus suturalis*, sp. n. (Tab. XXXIII. figg. 24, 24 a.)

Ovate, rather convex, dull, black, the antennæ obscure ferruginous; above densely clothed with small brownish-ochreous scales, the prothorax with two curved streaks on the basal portion of the disc, and the elytra with an attenuate sutural stripe and a streak at the sides towards the apex, black, the interstices 3, 5, and 9 each with a series of scattered, coarser, raised, brownish scales, which are clustered into small fascicles on 3 and 5, the suture also with a few raised black scales, the scutellum whitish; the vestiture of the under surface very sparse. Head rugosely punctate, the eyes coarsely faceted, somewhat prominent, not very widely separated; rostrum stout, strongly curved, a little longer than the prothorax, rugulosely punctate and subcarinate at the base, and for the rest very finely punctate, the antennæ inserted at about the middle, joint 2 of the funiculus shorter than 1, the club ovate. Prothorax strongly transverse, rounded at the sides anteriorly, feebly constricted and much narrowed in front; densely punctate. Scutellum oval. Elytra subtriangular, narrowing from the base, much wider than the prothorax, the humeri rounded; rather finely seriate-punctate, the interstices punctulate, 3, 5, 7, and 9 very feebly convex, the others flat. Beneath somewhat shining, sparsely, rather coarsely punctate, the ventral segments 2-4 each with a single row of punctures. Mesosternum broad, arcuate-emarginate. Legs rather stout, short; femora clavate, unidentate; tibiæ somewhat dilated, rounded externally.

Length  $4\frac{2}{3}$ , breadth  $2\frac{1}{3}$  millim. (♀?)

*Hab.* GUATEMALA, Teleman in the Polochic Valley (*Champion*).

One specimen. A peculiar species, ovate in form, the elytra with a black sutural stripe, which is connected in front with the two curved streaks on the prothorax, the third and fifth elytral interstices with small scattered clusters of coarser scales.