

1. **Eurypepla brevilineata.** (Tab. IX. fig. 11, ♂.)

Eurypepla brevilineata, Boh. Monogr. Cassid. ii. p. 238¹, and iv. p. 254²; Cat. Col. Ins. Brit. Mus. ix. p. 103³.

Hab. MEXICO, Campeche in Yucatan¹⁻³ (*Sallé*).

We have received only a single (♂) specimen of this species, but I have seen several others. The humeri are less obtuse in the male than in the female, and they are slightly concave in front in the former sex.

CHERSINELLA.

Antennæ short, not reaching the base of the prothorax; joints 3 and 4 elongate, slender, 3 nearly twice as long as 2 and slightly longer than 4, 5 a little wider and shorter than 4, 6-11 thickened, much stouter than 5, 9 and 10 subtransverse, 11 nearly twice as long as 10, acuminate; 1-5 almost smooth and shining; 6-11 densely punctured and opaque. Prothorax nearly twice as broad as long, broadly expanded laterally and in front; the apex rounded and extending far beyond the head; the base with a produced, rather broad, obtuse median lobe, and thence to the obtuse hind angles subtruncate. Scutellum triangular, small. Elytra in the male about two and a half times as long as, and very much wider than, the prothorax, narrower and longer in the female, convex, very obtuse at the apex, subtruncate on either side at the base; the margins broadly expanded and the humeri very oblique in the male, narrower and with the humeri obtuse in the female. Claws broadly angularly dilated on the lower side at the base.

This genus is proposed for the Colombian *Cassida heteropunctata*, Boh., an insect that cannot possibly be retained in the genus *Cassida*. *Chersinella* closely approaches certain species of *Physonota* (such as *P. picticollis*, *P. maculiventris*, &c.); but it has the antennæ differently formed and the claws appendiculate. The humeri are not at all produced in front, being oblique in the male and obtuse in the female. The antennæ are short, and have the six outer joints thickened, the third and fourth elongate and slender.

Boheman states that *C. heteropunctata* has the facies of a *Chelymorpha*; it differs from that genus, however, in the laterally subtruncate base of the prothorax and elytra, and in the short antennæ.

1. **Chersinella heteropunctata.** (Tab. IX. fig. 12, ♂, var.)

Cassida heteropunctata, Boh. Monogr. Cassid. ii. p. 459¹, and iv. p. 343²; Cat. Col. Ins. Brit. Mus. ix. p. 141³.

Hab. PANAMA, Tolé (*Champion*).—COLOMBIA¹⁻³.

A single male specimen from Tolé, differing from the type and the two varieties described in having a long {-shaped mark on the disc of each elytron, instead of some scattered irregular spots; it is like the var. *b*, but with the markings longitudinally confluent.