

## 2. *Apenesia flavipes*. (Tab. XIX. fig. 11, ♀.)

Fulva, nitida, antennis pedibusque flavis. ♀.  
Long. 6 millim.

*Hab.* PANAMA, Volcan de Chiriqui 2000 to 3000 feet (*Champion*).

Differs from *A. chontalica* in being  $3\frac{1}{2}$  millim. longer; in having the abdomen as long as the head and thorax united (in *A. chontalica* it is not much longer than the thorax); in the base of the mesonotum being triangular and not curved laterally, the sides being quite straight; and in the metathorax being narrowed in the middle and not at the base. The tips of the mandibles are black; the basal two joints of the anterior tarsi are sharply produced at the apex.

## EPYRIS.

*Epyris*, Westwood, Lond. & Edinb. Phil. Mag. i. p. 129 (1832).

*Epyris* is numerously represented in the Neotropical region, and contains some (for the group) large and striking species. It is but poorly represented in the Old World.

*A. Prothorax short, the pronotum raised abruptly above the prosternum and broader than long; the lower discoidal cellule distinct; head rugosely punctured.*

## 1. *Epyris rugifrons*. (Tab. XIX. fig. 12.)

Niger, pilosus, capite prothoraceque rugosis, metanoto reticulato; alis fuscis. ♂.  
Long. 10 millim.

*Hab.* GUATEMALA, Las Mercedes 3000 feet, Cerro Zunil 4000 to 5000 feet (*Champion*).

Antennæ as long as the thorax and abdomen united, densely covered with long white hair; the basal joint as long as the third. Head strongly rugosely punctured, covered with long fuscous hair; a small depressed impunctate space in front of the ocelli; mandibles punctured. Prothorax rugosely punctured, covered with long fuscous hair; a broad transverse furrow at the apex of the pronotum. Mesonotum sparsely punctured laterally, and bearing there some rather long fuscous hair; parapsidal furrows complete. Scutellum sparingly punctured, pilose. Metanotum irregularly keeled and reticulated; the top narrowed towards the apex (giving it a somewhat triangular shape); the apex semiperpendicular, irregularly punctured or blistered. Abdomen elongate oval in shape, shining, impunctate, the apex red and pilose. Legs densely covered with a greyish pile, which is very close and stiff on the tibiæ and tarsi. Claws bifid.