

✓ 18. **Ammophila dejecta.**

Nigra, abdominis medio late ferrugineo; dense fulvo-cinereo-pilosa; facie aureo-pilosa; clypeo fere truncato; alis fere hyalinis, apice fumatis.

Long. 17-18 millim.

Hab. MEXICO, Northern Sonora (*Morrison*).

Head wider than the mesothorax, indistinctly shagreened, covered with moderately large punctures; frontal furrow indistinct; clypeus bent inwardly at the apex, giving it the appearance of being incised. Posterior ocelli separated from each other by a less distance than they are from the eyes, and from the front ocellus by half this space. Third antennal joint one quarter longer than the fourth. Prothorax with a shallow oblique furrow. Thorax closely punctured; postscutellum rugose; metanotum striated, running into reticulations, the apex strongly punctured. An indistinct furrow runs down from the tegulæ. The hair on the thorax is long and dense; there is an oblique silvery stripe along the mesopleuræ; the metapleuræ bear silvery hair, and there is a tuft of cinereous pile on either side of the metanotum. The basal joint of the petiole beneath, the whole of the second joint, and the first and second segments (except a black line above) are ferruginous; the apical segments are scarcely pilose. Coxæ with rather long silvery-white hair; the rest of the legs with a short hoary pile; spines fuscous-black; claws ferruginous at the tips. Second cubital cellule at the top one fourth longer than the third and shorter than the space bounded by the recurrent nervures; third cubital cellule at the top one third shorter than at the bottom; second transverse cubital nervure slightly oblique, straight; first recurrent nervure received before the middle of the cellule.

✓ 19. **Ammophila cora.** (Tab. I. figg. 18; 18 a, ♂.)

Nigra, cinereo-hirta, apice petioli supra abdominisque segmento 1^o ferrugineis; clypeo exciso; mesonoto punctato; scutello longitudinaliter striato; metanoto transverse striato; alis fuscis. ♂.

Long. 18 millim.

Hab. GUATEMALA, San Gerónimo (*Champion*).

Head shining; the face and clypeus sparsely punctured; the vertex with very few punctures; sparsely covered with long whitish hairs and with no pile; apex of the clypeus depressed, with a distinct margin and broadly, but not deeply, incised. Eyes converging on the lower side. Front shallowly depressed in the centre. Third antennal joint fully one quarter longer than the fourth. Prothorax with a wide transverse and a narrower oblique furrow laterally. Thorax shining, covered with long griseous hairs; the pleuræ, pro- and mesonotum punctured; scutellum with some coarse longitudinal striations; the metanotum coarsely and closely transversely striated. Legs covered with a close hoary pile; the bristles and hind calcaria pale; tips of the claws ferruginous. Top of the second cubital cellule as long as the distance between the recurrent nervures and a little shorter than the third cellule at the top; the first