

This I consider to be probably conspecific with *C. zimmermanni*. In the latter I find some variation in the colour of the wings and pubescence; and in the examples I regard as its male the wings are hyaline, smoky at the apex, and the pubescence is cinereous. In fact the difference in the colour of the wings and pubescence is doubtless a sexual character. Out of nearly thirty males before me only one has the wings entirely violaceous.

TRIGONOPSIS.

Trigonopsis, Perty, Del. Anim. Art. Brasil. p. 142 (1830–1834).

This is exclusively a Neotropical genus and contains few species.

✓ 1. *Trigonopsis violaceus*. (Tab. II. fig. 13.)

Trigonopsis violaceus, Smith, Ann. & Mag. Nat. Hist. 2nd ser. vii. p. 31 (1851)¹.

Hab. GUATEMALA, San Juan in Vera Paz (*Champion*); PANAMA, David in Chiriqui (*Champion*).—BRAZIL¹, Pará¹.

PODIUM.

Podium, Fabricius, Syst. Piez. p. 183 (1804).

This is also treated as a subgenus of *Pelopæus* by Kohl (Termés. füzetek, ix. p. 158). The species are exclusively American, chiefly Neotropical.

- 1 (8). Legs black.
- 2 (7). Second cubital cellule not narrowed at the top; prothorax and petiole not very elongate; second recurrent nervure received a little past the middle.
- 3 (6). Wings yellow, the second transverse cubital nervure curved.
- 4 (5). Tegulæ black; petiole (♀) more than twice the length of the hind coxæ; pubescence on the metanotum not golden *albovillosum*.
- 5 (4). Tegulæ red; petiole (♀) the length of the hind coxæ; pubescence on the metanotum golden *luteipenne*.
- 6 (3). Wings violaceous, spotted with fuscous; second transverse cubital nervure straight *bugabense*.
- 7 (2). Second cubital cellule narrowed at the top; second recurrent nervure received before the middle of the cellule; prothorax and petiole elongate *bellum*.
- 8 (1). Legs red (second cubital cellule subtrigonal, the recurrent nervures received at the base and apex) *rufipes*.

✓ 1. *Podium albovillosum*. (Tab. II. figg. 14, 14 a, 14 b, ♂.)

Nigrum, albo-pilosum; metanoto transverse punctato; alis flavis, apice fumatis. ♂ ♀. Long. 30–34 millim.

Hab. PANAMA, Bugaba (*Champion*).