

vertex of the head scarlet, except just at the base; head short, rounded (not triangular, without the eyes), distinctly narrower than the pronotum and much shorter than it, the eyes prominent; forehead testaceous, with three broad longitudinal black lines meeting on the front of the vertex; base of the head and apex of the pronotum narrowly variegated with black and testaceous, the red margins of the latter very broad, narrowly bordered with black internally, and nearly meeting at the apex, the portion included between them being lighter green in front and darker behind; scutellum testaceous, regularly figured with black; extreme margins of the tegmina towards the apex black; abdomen crimson above; underside and legs testaceous, in part infusate.

Long. 7 millim.; lat. 2 millim.

Hab. CENTRAL AMERICA.

There is a single example of this insect in our collection, and unfortunately it is one of the very few specimens from which the locality-label is missing; it is, however, so very distinct and conspicuous a species that I have no hesitation in describing it, as no mistake could possibly arise regarding it.

145. ***Tettigonia rufoapicata***, sp. n. (Tab. XIX. fig. 16.)

Olivacea vel viridi-olivacea; capite lato, rotundato, haud angulato, oculis prominulis, vertice limbo lato flavo-rufo post hunc testaceo-nigro figurato; pronoto sat longo, limbo laterali flavo-rufo, antice testaceo, figurato; scutello testaceo, regulariter figurato; tegminum marginibus et apice late flavis, rufis, colore apicali supra et infra nigro limitato; abdomine supra rufo; corpore subtus testaceo; pedibus dilute testaceis vel albidis.

Olivaceous, with a broad red border reaching round the front of the head and continued to within a short distance of the apex, where it is interrupted by a black band, behind which the apical portion of the tegmina is broadly orange-red, the apex itself being black; head broad, rounded and not angular, testaceous behind the red border and regularly figured with black; the front of the pronotum and the scutellum are also testaceous and regularly figured; abdomen red above; underside and legs testaceous, the latter being very pale.

Long. 7 millim.; lat. $1\frac{1}{2}$ millim.

Hab. NICARAGUA, Chontales (*Janson*); PANAMA (*Boucard*), Bugaba (*Champion*).

We figure a specimen from Bugaba.

146. ***Tettigonia orbata***, sp. n. (Tab. XIX. fig. 17.)

Olivacea vel viridi-olivacea; capite rotundato; fronte testaceâ ad medium nigrâ, vertice testaceo nigro figurato, oculis prominulis; pronoto viridi, limbo antico late testaceo, convexo, nitido; scutello testaceo, nigro-variegato; tegminibus usque ad apicem unicoloribus, apice anguste hyalino ad extremum nigro; alis fusco-fumatis; abdomine puniceo, sterno testaceo; pedibus dilute testaceis, posterioribus rufescentibus.

Olivaceous, with a brown or green tinge; forehead testaceous with a broad black central band, or almost entirely black, the vertex and scutellum testaceous, regularly figured with black; head rounded; pronotum with the front part testaceous; tegmina with the apex narrowly hyaline, the extreme tip being black; abdomen crimson; sternum and front pairs of legs light testaceous, the hinder pair more or less red.

Long. 6 millim.; lat. $1\frac{1}{2}$ millim.

Hab. MEXICO, Teapa in Tabasco (*H. H. Smith*).

In shape this insect is very like *T. rufoapicata*, but it differs very much in coloration, and is evidently distinct. The two species come from widely separated localities.