

cross-vein forming a distinct obtuse angle, which has a very short and sometimes obsolete stump; poisers tawny. Length of the body $4\frac{1}{2}$ lines; of the wings 9 lines.

HAB.—Parà.

DICHELACERA HINNULUS, Fem.

Fulva, antennis fulvis apice nigris, pedibus fulvis, tibiis posticis apice tarsis anticis posticisque piceis, alis limpidis apice cinereis costa vittaque fulvis.

Body tawny, clothed with golden hairs: head adorned with a pale tawny covering, clothed beneath with yellow hairs; a large, pitchy, shining, square spot in front of the crown: eyes bronzed; all the facets very small: sucker black: lancets and palpi tawny: feelers tawny; first and second joints beset with black hairs; third joint black towards its tip, its horn curved downward, and a little longer than the other part; compound joint black, curved upward, a little shorter than the third joint, like which it is clothed with very short black hairs: abdomen obconical, much longer than the chest: legs tawny, clothed with short tawny hairs; hind-shanks dark tawny, pitchy towards the tips, clothed with short black hairs; fore-shanks and middle feet darker towards the tips; fore-feet and hind-feet pitchy: wings colourless, gray towards the tips, tawny along the fore border as far as the stigma, which is brown; a tawny streak extends from the base and joins the hind border before half the length of the latter; wing-ribs tawny; veins pitchy, tawny towards the base and along the fore border; poisers tawny. Length of the body $3\frac{1}{2}$ lines; of the wings $8\frac{1}{2}$ lines.

HAB.—Parà.

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ART. XVI.—Description of an apparently new Lepidopterous Insect, of the Family Glaucoptidæ, from the Upper Amazons. By EDWARD NEWMAN.

Family—GLAUCOPTIDÆ.

Genus—MYRMECOPSIS, Newman.

Formicam alatum exactè simulat: antennæ dimidio corporis vix longiores, dimidio basali bipectinata, deinde serratæ, denique subserratæ, apice gracillimæ setacæ: alarum anticarum cellula discoidalis profundè divisa; alæ nudæ, squamis nisi nervurarum nullo modo indutæ: abdomen petiolatum petiolo valdè restricto.

MYRMECOPSIS EUMENIDES.

Nigra; alæ nudæ hyalinæ, anticarum vittâ latâ costali fuliginèâ maculam stigma-toidem pulcherrimè chalybeam includenti; pedes nigri, tarsis testaceis. (Corp. long. .6 unc. Alarum dilat. 1.15 unc.)

The superficial resemblance of this moth to a Hymenopterous insect is perfect: the extremely narrow petiole divides the body into two nearly equal parts, one composed of the head and alary segments, the other of the abdominal segments: the head