



Fig. 1. Head of *Stenammas knowltoni* Gregg.

**Sculpture:** Head covered with longitudinal rugae, becoming vaguely reticulate on posterior portion; interspaces rather coarsely punctate, general appearance opaque to subopaque, or at most only slightly shining. Clypeus with multiple carinulae. Mandibles finely rugulate or striate, with widely spaced punctures, and shining. Dorsum of thorax longitudinally rugose, rugae widely spaced, but with a few transverse rugae at anterior end. Pronotal collar punctate. Pronotum lightly punctate, mesonotum heavily punctate between rugae. Epinotal base punctate, declivity smooth and shining. Propleurae almost devoid of rugae, smooth and shining; mesopleurae coarsely punctate especially in lower half, opaque; epinotal pleurae rugose and coarsely punctate. Petiole and postpetiole more finely punctured dorsally and laterally, postpetiole having in addition coarse longitudinal rugae on its dorsolateral aspect. Gaster smooth and shining (faint shagreening), and with extremely short but distinct basal striae. Whole insect opaque to subopaque, except gaster, epinotal declivity smooth and shining, and pronotal dorsum and extreme occipital border quite shining despite their sculpturing.

**Pilosity:** Delicate, rather long, pointed yellowish hairs on all parts of body including appendages. Hairs uneven in length, shorter and numerous on head, longer and sparser on thorax, pedicel, and gaster.

**Color:** Head and gaster dark brown, thorax and pedicel slightly lighter and with reddish tinge. Legs, antennae, mandibles, clypeus, and pronotal collar light reddish brown.

**FEMALE** (deälate).— Length, 4.4 mm; head length (excluding mandibles), 0.92 mm; head width, 0.79 mm; head index, 0.857; thorax length, 1.32 mm.