

dilated at the base; wings slightly dusky, with a fulvous tint towards the base, apex, and costa; wings and stigma fulvous; marginal cell conical at the tip, second submarginal cell larger than the first, and separated from it by a nearly straight vein, the recurrent vein received in the middle of the second submarginal cell, beyond which the cubital vein is slightly thickened; abdomen with the last joint compressed above at the tip; anal plate deeply emarginate, the lateral processes acute.

*Obs.*—This species approaches nearest to *L. Hopei*, but is distinguished from it by many of the characters given above.

*Obs.*—Mr. Burchell also captured a specimen at Guardamôr, in Brazil, on the 8th of September, 1828, at midnight, which differs from the above in having the wings rather more dusky, with the stigma darker and brown at the base, the vein separating the first and second submarginal cells, straight, and the anal plate not exposed.

**SPECIES XIV.**—*Labidus Spinolæ*, W. Fuscus, cylindricus, capite atro, abdomine fulvo-fusco, pedunculo transverso, lateribus subrotundatis, alis infumatis, venis stigmatæque subfuscis. Long. corp. lin. 6½. Expans. alar. lin. 11½.

Taken at Meia Ponte, in Brazil, on the 16th of October, 1827, by W. Burchell, Esq. Very similar to *L. Gravenhorstii*, from which it differs in its darker-coloured wings and stigma; the two basal submarginal cells are not so long, the vein separating them being less oblique, the legs darker coloured, the peduncle broader and not so square, the sides being rather rounded, the central surface scarcely angulated.

Mr. Burchell also captured another specimen at Caisara, in Brazil, on the 23d of October, 1827, which although greatly mutilated appears to belong to this species.

**SPECIES XV.**—*Labidus Guerinii*, Shk. (Mon. Dor. App. p. 44). Fuscus, subpubescens; capite atro, scapo antennarum incrassato, clypeo tuberculis binis acutis, recurvis, instructo; mesothorace antice valde convexo, abdomine pedibusque magis rufescentibus. Long. corp. lin. 5½. Expans. alar. lin. 12.

Habitat in Brasilia. In Mus. D. Shuckard.

**SPECIES XVI.**—*Labidus D'Orbignii*, W. (Shk. Mon. Dor. p. 15.) Niger, brunneo-holosericeus, pedunculo abdominis semicirculari, supra subconvexo, nervis alarum brunneo-testaceis, ocellis parvis, cellula marginali brevi postice acute angulata. Long. corp. lin. 6½. Expans. alar. lin. 12.

Habitat in America Meridionali, D. D'Orbigny. In Mus. nostr., e Mus. Reg. Paris. communic.

**SPECIES XVII.**—*Labidus Walkerii*, W. Castaneo-fuscus, marginibus segmentorum abdominis lucidioribus, alis infumatis, venis fuscis, pedunculo transverso-quadrato, subtus haud angulato. Long. corp. lin. 5. Expans. alar. lin. 9½.

Taken at Meia Ponte, in Brazil, on the 16th of October, 1827, by W. Burchell, Esq. Body long, cylindrical, and of a dark brown colour, with the head darker and the margins of the abdominal segments brighter coloured, pubescent; jaws rather short and curved, facial carinæ extended along the outside of the front ocellus; ocelli large, lateral ones placed close to the eyes. Thorax gibbous before and behind. Peduncle transverse-quadrato, the sides slightly elevated, posterior angles not acute, ventral surface not angulated. Legs short and very slender; wings dusky, with brown veins and a dark brown stigma; marginal cell lanceolate, two first submarginal cells larger, separated by a curved vein, the vein separating the second and third submarginal cells straight and much longer than in *L. D'Orbignii*, the cubital vein closing the second submarginal cell behind not thickened; the legs are very short and of a brick-brown colour.

Most like *L. D'Orbignii*, but smaller and of a browner colour; the marginal cell differently shaped; the legs not black, the wings darker coloured, with the second submarginal cell of equal breadth throughout.

**SPECIES XVIII.**—*Labidus Klugii*, Shk. (Mon. Dor. p. 16). Rufo-castaneus, pubescens, vertice, thoracis dorso, et stigmatæ alarum badiis; clypeo tuberculis binis, acutis, instructo, et pedunculo transverso-quadrato, subconvexo. Long. corp. lin. 4½. Expans. alar. lin. 8½.

Habitat in insula St. Vincentii, D. L. Guilding. In Mus. D. Shuckard.

**SPECIES XIX.**—*Labidus Erichsonii*, W. Longus, cylindricus, rufo-testaceus, capite badio; clypeo integro; pedunculo subtransverso, angulis acutis; stigmatæ magno nigricanti. Long. corp. lin. 5. Expans. alar. lin. 9.

Habitat in Brasilia, D. Miers.