

(hackberry) at Riley's ranch in the Organ Mts., May 14, which exactly resemble those of this species so far as I can determine. The galls were at that date, from one-third to one-half of an inch in diameter; and the eggs were apparently just hatching, or about to hatch. The tree was determined by Mr. W. H. Evans.

*Psylla*, n. sp. (?)

Adults and larvæ of a psyllid were beaten from mesquite (*P. juliflora*) May 14 to 16. The adults are greenish or yellowish, with brown at the extremity of the wings. The larvæ are entirely green.

*Cicada montezuma*, Dist.

This cicada was noticed to be very numerous on the mesas and plains from May 23 to 31. They seem to frequent especially the plants of *Yucca angustifolia*. On May 24, while riding on horseback, I was quite sure I observed one specimen with its proboscis thrust into a leaf of this *yucca*. It is very probable that this cicada oviposits in the leaves of this plant, since it seemed to have such a decided preference for it. I am quite sure it also pierces the leaves and stalk for food. The specimen referred to above was motionless, and evidently feeding. A cicada was heard on the mesa May 17. It was either this species or the next, but was not captured.

*Cicada ochreoptera*, Uhler.

This species was found May 27 on mesa near the college. A pupa skin was also found there. On June 9 it was found very numerous on pear trees, and I was told that in former years it had damaged many of the trees by ovipositing in the twigs quite extensively. I have also found its work on twigs of young plum trees, which had been damaged by it, causing the terminal half of the twigs to die. On Feb. 4 a cicada larva, probably this species, was dug up about the roots of a young apple tree in Mesilla. It was about half an inch long, and was found at a depth of about eight inches. This cicada seems rather confined to the valleys, while the preceding and larger species is only found on the mesas and plains.

*Stictopelta marmorata*, Goding MS.

This tree-hopper was noticed July 8 on mesquite (*P. juliflora*), in some numbers. It was also previously noticed on weeds. Determined by Dr. F. W. Goding.

*Pubilia modesta*, Uhler.

Adults beaten in some numbers from flowers and foliage of mesquite