

Elytra entirely pale or with a longitudinal line, and a spot on each side (the spot often confluent with the line) dark or black. Prothorax pale, with black spots often coalescing into an **M**-shaped mark, with a dot on each side, or varying infinitely in size and shape. Form oblong-oval, less convex, .17 in. *picta*, Rand.

MYSIA, Muls.

M. pullata, Say. Oval, convex, head black with two yellow frontal spots, thorax black with narrow whitish front margin, sides broadly white and enclosing a black spot. Elytra reddish, sometimes with an irregular blackish dorsal vitta. Legs usually black, .28 in. Larger than *Coccinella sanguinea*, which it recalls at first sight, and with the thorax differently marked.

ANATIS, Muls.

Two species are recorded from Canada, differing thus :—

Elytra very distinctly punctured ; thorax yellowish white, with a heavy, more or less **M**-shaped discoidal black mark, and a black marginal spot near the hind angles. The elytra are usually yellowish with black spots, arranged in three transverse rows, though occasionally specimens are found in which the elytra are brown or nearly black. Legs wholly or in part yellow, .30-.38 in. (Fig. 49)..... *15-punctata*, Oliv.

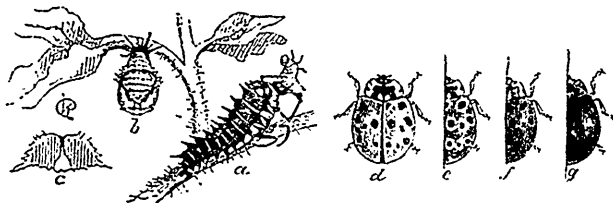


Fig. 49.

Elytra quite smooth, with oblong piceous spots, variable in form and extent, so that nearly the entire disk may become piceous, enclosing small yellow stripes or blotches..... *subvittata*, Muls.

The former is our largest Coccinellid, and is easily recognized. The latter I am unacquainted with, and owe the characters on which the separation is made to the kindness of Dr. Horn.

PSYLLOBORA, Chevr.

A small, yellowish-white species (*P. 20-maculata*, Say.), only .08 to .10 in. in length, with numerous black spots ; cannot be mistaken for anything