

posterior tibia with a band at apex, and posterior tarsus except base of metatarsus, brown; wings hyaline, veins and stigma black, costa at immediate base white, first submarginal cross-vein distinct. Length, 7 mm.

Habitat—McLean, N. Y. 1 ♂ 30th May, 1890.

This species is readily separated from *obsoleta* by the crossing sinus on the front, the colour of the femora, and the larger size. The species is dedicated to Mr. Edward Norton, the well-known student of American Tenthredinidæ.

STRONGYLOGASTER, Dahlb.

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| 1. Lanceolate cell with a cross-line.....   | 2.                           |
| Lanceolate without a cross-line.....  | 15.                          |
| 2. Under wings with incomplete outer cells; if complete, no cross-vein in cell in front of lanceolate cell..... | 3.                           |
| Under wings with complete outer cells, and with a cross-vein in cell in front of lanceolate cell .....          | <i>pinguis</i> , Nort.       |
| 3. Antennæ in part pale.....  | 4.                           |
| Antennæ wholly black.....   | 9.                           |
| 4. Antennæ pale at apex .....   | 5.                           |
| Antennæ pale at base .....  | <i>epicera</i> , Say.        |
| 5. Head testaceous.....   | 6.                           |
| Head black.....   | 7.                           |
| 6. Median lobe of mesothorax black, margined with white .....   | <i>mellousus</i> , Say.      |
| Median lobe of mesothorax rufous.....   | <i>terminalis</i> , Say.     |
| 7. Eyes margined before and behind with black.....  | <i>apicalis</i> , Say.       |
| Eyes margined with white or rufous in part.....   | 8.                           |
| 8. Eyes margined before and behind with white .....   | <i>pallidicornis</i> , Nort. |
| Eyes margined behind with rufous, black in front .....  | <i>rufoculus</i> , n. sp.    |
| 9. Lanceolate cell of posterior wings not attaining the margin, an appendiculate vein at apex.....              | <i>abnormis</i> , Prov.      |
| Lanceolate cell attaining the margin, not with an appendiculate vein at apex.....                               | 10.                          |
| 10. Eyes partly margined with white .....   | <i>fidus</i> , Cress.        |
| Eyes wholly margined with black.....  | 11.                          |
| 11. All the coxae and trochanters white.....  | 12.                          |
| Some of the coxae and trochanters black or in part black.....   | 13.                          |
| 12. Scutellum black.....  | <i>pallidoxus</i> , Prov.    |
| Scutellum white.....  | <i>proximus</i> , Prov.      |