

On the North American ASILIDÆ (Part II).

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The present article is a continuation of the one in volume xi, pp. 1-35 of these Transactions, and includes the remainder of the Asilidæ, with the exception of the genus *Asilus* (*sensu lat.*). A considerable amount of material I have accumulated in this latter group, and descriptions are in manuscript, but the many problems they offer, yet unsolved, render their present publication inexpedient.

DASYPOGONINÆ.***Stichopogon trifasciatus* Say.**

Specimens from Kansas show no differences from New England ones.

***Ablautatus mimus* O. S.**

This species also occurs in Arizona.

***Laphystia sexfasciata* Say.**

Specimens of this species from Montana differ appreciably from those from the Southern States that I have seen. In all the Northern specimens the pollinose bands of the abdomen are all entire, while in the Southern ones they are mostly interrupted; the femora, moreover, in the former are mostly yellow, while in the others they are chiefly black. These differences, if not sufficient to warrant specific separation, may be varietally indicated by the name *notata* Bigot, for the Southern form.

***Myelaphus lobicornis* O. S.**

I have seen a specimen of this species in which the fourth posterior cell is wide open. It is doubtful whether the species which I described in the first part of this is the same. *Ceraturgus dispar* Loew (Syst. Besch. 3d Suppl. Band. p. 122) from Europe is apparently a *Myelaphus*.

***Aphamartania fur* n. sp.**

♂.—Length $6\frac{1}{2}$ mm. Small, black, thickly white pollinose. Head and antennæ in structure like those of species of *Nicocles*, except that the vertex is not so deeply excavated on the sides of the ocelli. Face and front with a silvery-white pubescence, the former otherwise bare, except a thin row of white hair on the oral margin, and the latter with a few white hairs. Antennæ black, slender. Thorax thickly white pollinose, bare, except the weak white bristles; dorsum with two slender, brown, median stripes, and two small, less definite brown spots on each side, the one before, the other behind the suture. Abdomen rather short, and