

and other characters of typical *Micranãrena*. The male has the tegument of the face entirely black, and the long flagellum is obscurely brownish beneath.

***Andrena candidiformis*, V. & C.**

The facial quadrangle is broader than long, not the reverse, as stated in the original description.

***Halictus cyaneiceps*, sp. n.**

♀ (Type).—Length 8-9 mm.; black, with the front and upper part of sides of face more or less distinctly bluish, contrasting with the pure black clypeus and supraclypeal area; pubescence dull white, forming broad bands at bases of abdominal segments; clypeus little produced; antennæ black; mesothorax shining and sparsely punctured on disc posteriorly; scutellum shining, with punctures of different sizes; area of metathorax dull, finely roughened, basally obscurely sublincolate, at apical middle there is a depression; posterior truncation not distinctly defined; tegulae piceous; wings greyish hyaline, stigma and nervures dusky amber colour; punctures of abdomen excessively minute; hind spur with short blunt teeth.

♂.—Length hardly 8 mm.; face broad; clypeus shining, with a broad creamy-white band; flagellum long, marked with ferruginous beneath; area of metathorax shining apically; tarsi dark brown.

*Hab.*—Rio Ruidoso, New Mexico (C. H. T. Townsend); the type taken at flowers of *Heliopsis scabra*, July 31, alt. prox. 6500 ft.; also found (both sexes) on flowers of *Potentilla thurberi*, July 31, and on July 20, at 6900 ft., at flowers of *Verbascum thapsus*. South Fork Eagle Creek, New Mexico, at flowers of *Sicyos parviflorus*, Aug. 18, at 8000 ft., and Aug. 19, at 8250 ft. (C. H. T. Townsend). I have had *H. cyaneiceps* a number of years, and have referred it with hesitation to *H. bardus* Cresson and to *H. forbesii* Rob. It is very closely related to *forbesii*, but distinguished by the bluish front of the female and dark tarsi of the male. I have not described the structure in detail, where it agreed with *H. forbesii*. The male is very like that of *H. trizonatus* Cress, but is readily distinguished by the broad, short head. Male *trizonatus* was taken on *Potentilla thurberi* at the same time and place as *cyaneiceps*.