

Spurs rather slender, outer broader and longer, with pellucid margin. Posterior tarsi longer than the tibia; first joint stout, constricted at base. Claws pectinate along a double margin; outer anterior claw with a strong tooth near the apex.

Length, 17 mm. One example, collected by C. M. Porter, in Skidmore, Texas, April 2, 1895.

*Type*.—No. 575, U.S.N.M.

*Female*.—Form, size, and sculpture of the male, but differs as follows: Antennal club slightly shorter. Thorax with a median white line at base. Pygidium flat, deeply, longitudinally channeled before apex, with coarse setigerous punctures at and near the margin. Abdomen very convex, broadly glabrous and polished along the middle; fifth segment constricted at the sides, with a round gibbosity at middle near apical margin and with a transverse row of setigerous punctures behind the gibbosity, interrupted at middle; sixth very short, coarsely punctate. Anterior and middle claws with a strong tooth near apex and coarsely serrate at base. Posterior claws dissimilar, the inner without tooth, pectinate, the outer like the anterior claws.

One example, from Texas, in collection of Mr. H. Ulke.

This species differs from *L. mucoreus*, LeConte, by its color, broader form, distinctly broader thorax, more concave and rounded clypeus, and the sexual characters of abdomen and pygidium.