

median stripe. Black band behind eye, broadest on pronotum, ending at last sulcus. Yellow spots behind the eye on both sides of black stripe and below the same on side of pronotum. Cheeks bordered behind with yellow. Sometimes face yellow, mottled with blue. A yellow spot at base of antennæ, and a yellow stripe following the lateral carinæ of pronotum on hind lobe, runs obliquely across base of elytra to insertion of hind femora. Elytra brown, with a few dusky dots along the disk. Wings tinged with blue. Upper outside face of hind femora dark blue, the upper edge crossed by the usual dark bands. Hind tibiæ red with black spines. Antennæ light red. Entire under-side of insect yellow.

Length of body ♀, 1.00 inch. ; ♂, .85 inch. Of hind femora, male and female, 0.50 inch. Elytra ♂, .75 ; ♀, .80 inch.

Two ♂, four ♀. Found in low grounds during the month of Sept., at Glencoe, Nebraska. Possibly a local variety of *femur-rubrum*.

*Pezotettix abditum*, n. sp.

Medium size. Frontal costa punctured, depressed at ocellus. Vertex sulcate. Occiput faintly carined. Median carina of pronotum slight, cut by last transverse incision. Lateral carinae obtuse. Elytra short, oval, pointed. Last segment of male abdomen acuminate. Cerci short, broad at base, of equal width from middle to apex. Tip broadly rounded.

General color dark brown. Antennæ red, darker at apex, sides of face and pronotum yellow. The usual black stripe behind the eye ; narrow on pronotum and ending at last sulcus. Elytra dark brown, spotted obscurely and irregularly with black. Hind femora dusky without, with three indistinct black bands that cross over the upper edge and appear on the inside, the one nearest the knee usually broadest and crossing the inner face. Inside and below yellow. Hind tibiae red, spines black. Under side of whole insect bright yellow.

Length of body ♀, .70 inch. ; ♂, .65 inch. Elytra ♀, .27 inch. ; ♂, .23 inch. Hind femora ♀, .45 inch. ; ♂, .40 inch.

Three ♀, three ♂. Taken at Glencoe, Nebraska, where it is usually abundant in August. It occurs upon hill sides, near damp ground, among the rank herbage common in such situations.