

coloradella has it black. In the type of *hesperella*, however, it is not a pure white, but has a pale golden tint; while in *coloradella* it is variably pallid or pale orange at the base and sides. The differences described in the venation between *coloradella* and *hesperella* also seem inconstant. I think, therefore, that all three constitute a single species, remarkable for the colour-variation in the ventral scopa.

Anthophorula bruneri (Crawford).

On Aug. 3, 1911, I found both sexes common at flowers of *Helianthus lenticularis* at Sterling, Colorado. The species is new to Colorado. The other bees taken at Sterling on the same day, all from the *Helianthus*, are *Melissodes obliqua* Say, ♀; *M. aurigenia* Cress., ♂; *Andrena helianthi* Rob., ♀; *Perdita albipennis* Cress., ♀; *Augochlora coloradensis* Titus, ♀; *Halictus armaticeps* Cress., ♀; *H. pruinosiformis* Crawf. ♀.

Neopasites robertsoni Crawford.

Prof. O. A. Stevens sends me many specimens, collected on flowers of *Grindelia squarrosa* at Agricultural College, North Dakota, Aug. 18 and 19. At the same time, and on the same flowers, he collected many *Andrena hirticincta* Prov., both sexes. The latter he has also taken at *Melilotus alba*. The *Neopasites* has hitherto been known only from Nebraska.

Ceratina dupla halophila, n. subsp.

♀.—Length, about seven mm.; dark blue-green, with the usual white mark on clypeus. Differs from the usual form by the strongly infuscated wings and dark tarsi; the tegulae are shining black. *C. submaritima* Ckll. rarely has a small spot on the clypeus of the female, and then, because of the similarly dark wings, rather resembles the present insect; but in *C. submaritima* the tubercles are wholly dark, and the face is much less densely punctured.

Hab.—Woods Hole, Mass., June (Cockerell).

Other bees taken this year at Woods Hole are the following (those marked with an asterisk collected by Miss Eleth Cattell): *Sphecodes arvensis* Patton; *S. persimilis* Lovell & Ckll. (both species of *Sphecodes* at umbelliferous flowers); *Agapostemon radiatus* Say; *A. viridulus* Fab.; *Nomada articulata* Smith; *Augochlora confusa* Rob.*; *Xenoglossa pruinosus* Say;* *Bombus fervidus* Fabr.*; *B. terricola* Kirby;* *B. vagans* Smith;* *Megachile campanulae* Rob.* (male, remarkable for the extremely